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# COTTON SLUMPS ON ESTIMATE

## QUEEN OF SKIES SAILING ON LONG TRIP

### POLLARD SEES TROUBLE AHEAD FOR TREASURER

#### GRAF ZEPPELIN IS HEADED BACK HOME FROM U. S. VISIT

##### TWENTY-TWO PASSENGERS ABOARD FOR FIRST LEG OF WORLD FLIGHT

(By The Associated Press.)  
Messages from the world girdling dirigible Graf Zeppelin herself and from ships that sighted her at sea indicated today that the queen of the ocean skies was roaring over the first part of her Atlantic flight at approximately 100 miles an hour.  
Within a period of about two hours, from 6:40 to 7:35 P. M., this morning the Graf reported her own position and two steamers, the Commercial Trader and the President Roosevelt, reported sighting her at given positions.  
The three positions and their times made possible the computation that during these morning hours the Zeppelin was beyond Nantuxet Shoals and proceeding practically on a straight line.  
Some 15 miles an hour faster than her maximum cruising speed, presumably due to strong tail winds although none of the three messages mentioned existing weather conditions.  
Prior to these reports her average speed from Lakehurst, which she left at 11:40 E. S. T., last night, was only about 60 miles an hour, although this slower speed was no doubt largely due to the fact that considerable time was spent circling over New York.  
By W. W. CHAPLIN  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
NAVAL AIR STATION,  
Lakehurst, N. J., Aug. 8.—(AP)—A band played "It's a Long, Long Trail," (Continued on Page 5)

#### Serves on Labor Board



Mrs. Paul E. Rewman, of Deadwood, South Dakota, has been appointed by President Hoover as a member of the Board of Labor Review, which body advises the Secretary of Labor on immigration affairs. She is shown here at her desk in Washington as she assumed her official duties.

#### Texas Goat Will Replace Mascot Secretary State

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—"Billy the Kid" leaves his ancestral hills here today for the office life of Washington under the guardianship of Secretary of State H. L. Stimson.  
Billy, a goat offered up by the secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers association, goes to replace the celebrated "Captain Bones," the secretary's former pet, somehow not retrieved by the official after he arrived in Washington from the Philippines.  
The new delegate to the capital was said to have been named for the famous outlaw after successful exhibitions of pugacity among his fellows on a ranch 65 miles from the nearest railroad.

#### Dallas County Grocer Killed; Man Surrenders

DALLAS, Aug. 8.—(AP)—A buckshot blast fired from the doorway of his rural grocery near here killed Austin E. Ferguson, about 63 last night, and authorities today held Bert McLemore.  
McLemore surrendered soon after the shooting, which occurred at Irving, Dallas county. He made a statement at the sheriff's office.  
Officers said Irving residents told them that McLemore was fired at with a pistol near there recently. He and Ferguson were said to have been enemies for some time.

#### CITIZENSHIP RESTORED

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Full restoration of citizenship was granted today by Governor Moody to Newt Terry, convicted of felonious theft in Burnett County in 1927, and sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary.

#### SOVIETS PLAN HOP

LONDON, Aug. 8.—(AP)—An exchange telegraph company dispatch today from Berlin said the soviet airplane, "Land of the Soviets," with a crew of five, took off from Moscow today on a trip to New York by way of Siberia and Alaska. The first stop will be Omsk.

#### PROHIBITION WILL BE PROBED THROUGH ELEVEN CHANNELS

#### NATIONAL LAW ENFORCE- MENT COMMISSION WORKS OUT PLAN PROCEEDURE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Prohibition has been assigned a place by itself in a program of 11 investigations worked out by the national law enforcement commission after a study of its general problem.  
No other single body of laws was singled out for such concentrated study, and the commission further indicated the importance it attaches to prohibition by designating its own chairman, George W. Wickersham, as an ex-officio member of all. Besides prohibition, they will deal with causes of crime; statistics of crime and criminal justice; police prosecution; courts; penitentiaries; juvenile delinquency; criminal justice and the foreign born; lawlessness by government law enforcing officers, and the cost of crime.

#### WOMAN CANDIDATE ANSWERS W. C. T. U. QUESTIONNAIRE; PRESIDENCY NOT INVOLVED

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Selection of the Democratic nominee for president in 1932, "will not be and should not be a direct issue" in the 1930 campaign, Miss Katie Daffan of Ennis, candidate for Governor of Austin, president of the State Woman's Christian Temperance union in reply to a questionnaire sent all gubernatorial aspirants.  
She is opposed to barring from the 1930 primaries anyone—candidate or voter—who did not support the party presidential choice.  
It is not necessary, as I see it, to discuss the democratic nomi-

#### CONFLAGRATIONS ROARING THROUGH NATIONAL FORESTS

#### FOUR NORTHWESTERN STATES IN GRIP OF FIRE FIEND THURSDAY

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 8. (AP)—The Northwest's vast timberland was the fire box of the continent today with major conflagrations roaring through valuable forests in national preserves of Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon.  
Forest service officials directing several thousand fighters were unable to estimate the size of the area that had been scorched, but unofficial compilations indicated that upwards of 50,000 acres of timber and ranch holdings valued at millions of dollars had been consumed in the last two weeks.

Reports yesterday that most of the major fires had been controlled were followed quickly by new appeals for men to fight flames that either were new or had been discovered as the smoke bill of the earlier fires had cleared. In many regions lumber workers, farmers and ranchmen were fighting side by side with "regulars."  
Mount Ranier blaze  
Western Washington and Oregon reported two of the largest fires. One of these was roaring through the heavy timber of Mount Ranier. Two hundred and fifty men, six tractors and two tanks were attempting to hold back a blaze that threatened to leap control lines into thousands of acres of merchantable timber in Klamath county, Oregon.  
The bald mountain fire in North Central Idaho, which had baffled fighters for a week, was still de-

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#### BRIDGE ACCIDENT FATAL TO WOMAN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

#### MRS. LULA GRIFFIN DIES OF INJURIES RECEIVED WHEN AUTO HITS BRIDGE

Mrs. Lula Griffin, 29, died at 1:20 o'clock Thursday morning from injuries received Wednesday night at 11:30 o'clock when her Ford roadster which she was driving collided with the railing of a bridge spanning Briar Creek just west of Petty's Chapel, one of the railings severing her left leg and another being driven entirely through her body.  
The car, being held at the Corlie-McMahon Funeral Home, where the arrival of relatives, Mrs. Griffin was rushed to the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic, where she died a short time later.  
It was reported that when the car was turned to go on the bridge, the railings were struck. The wheels, windshield, running board, and fenders on the left side were demolished.

Surviving are her husband, Walter Griffin; one son by a former marriage, H. B. Blake, 11 years old; of Waco; parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, who reside three miles south of Embouse; four brothers, Buck Williamson, Gainesville; Charley Williamson, Richland; Virgil and Leroy Williamson, both of Embouse; one sister, Mrs. Virgie Bennett, Brenham, and other relatives.  
Mrs. Griffin had resided in Corsicana for some time.

#### Aged Man Shot Long-Time Mate End Suffering

LAWRENCE, Kas., Aug. 8.—(AP)—Fred Erb, 75, shot and killed his bedridden wife, 75 years old, here today, explaining that he could no longer bear the thought of her suffering.  
Relatives took a revolver away from Erb when he attempted to shoot himself after the slaying. The woman had been an invalid for three years. The couple had been married 55 years. They came here from Ponca City, Okla.

#### SNOOK TRIAL NEAR END



Former Professor J. H. Snook, of Ohio State University, attends his trial, at Columbus, Ohio, for the murder of Theora Hix in brightly striped easy chair. Various tests by physicians had weakened him to such an extent that this measure was necessary. The testimony of two newspapermen, which is substantially the same as Snook's alleged confession, was the state's chief line of offense. The foundation of the defense will be that Snook was insane the night when he drove Miss Hix to the rifle range and killed her. Thursday Snook detailed his slaying of the woman.

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As the ex-professor sat shaken and trying to go on, Prosecutor John J. Chester, Jr., suggested a recess when the court allowed.  
The story was the climax to Dr. Snook's account of his 3-year love affair with the medic co-ed.  
It had carried them to the New York Central rifle range where they sat in his parker car, arguing because he intended to leave town to visit his mother at Lebanon, Ohio.  
The girl attacked him, he said, as the argument grew in intensity. Dr. Snook testified that he pulled out a sandwich containing an emotional stimulant, Miss Hix, he said, had the sandwich when she got in his car and gave it to him as they drove to the range.  
Dr. Snook said he went home from the scene of the killing and that he slept that night.  
He identified a blood stained dress Miss Hix wore the night of her death and claimed ownership of a knife. He said he found it on the floor of his car the morning after the killing.  
"Doctor Snook, under oath, if Theora Hix's jugular vein was cut, did you cut it with this knife?" "I do not know," the witness replied.

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#### THREE PROMINENT MEMBERS OF FASCIST OPPONENTS MAKE ESCAPE FROM PRISON ISLE

PARIS, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Francesco Nitti, nephew of the former Italian premier, and two other prominent members of Italy's suppressed political opposition, have escaped the Fascist prison isle of Lipari, and have made their way to Paris.  
Anti-Fascist circles here today claimed the escape related in widely published stories, as the greatest inspiration given their movement in months. Accounts of their imprisonment were welcomed in these circles as revealing tactics employed by the Fascist regime in checking growth of opposing elements.  
Escaping with Nitti were Carlo Rosselli, former professor of political economy at the Genoa Institute and Emilio Lussu, war hero, four times decorated by the Italian government.  
Rosselli's account of the escape made to Paris newspapers, said they eluded 400 guards which the Italian government placed on the small isle, off Sicily, to watch 600 political prisoners, and swam along the shore of the island to a secluded spot where friends awaited them with a small sail boat.

#### HATCHER AND SHAW STILL IN SQUABBLE OVER PAYING FUND

#### STATE TREASURER AND BANKING COMMISSIONER DIFFER ON DETAILS

AUSTIN, Aug. 8. (AP)—Attorney General Claude Pollard said today that State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher's refusal to honor drafts drawn on him by Banking Commissioner James Shaw to pay state banks over-assessments for the guaranty fund is "so arbitrary" that he is "probably creating a liability against the sureties" of his official bond.  
Pollard made the statement in a letter to Hatcher, in reply to one from the treasurer, addressed jointly to Pollard and Shaw as members of the banking board, notifying them of his refusal to pay drafts presented yesterday.  
"Every draft that is being presented to you in favor of the banks is in strict conformity to the action of the banking board," Pollard wrote, "and the requirement of the law and should be paid by you promptly honored and paid and it occurs to me that your conduct in the matter is so arbitrary that you are probably creating a liability against the sureties on your official bond in favor of those banks whose drafts you refuse to pay when presented." Pollard wrote.  
Drafts issued on Hatcher in favor of state banks were for their prorata of \$304,439 held by Hatcher of the approximately \$800,000 due them by the banking department in

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#### New Vice-Chairman

#### FORECAST PLACES 1929 COTTON CROP AT 15,543,000 BALES

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 8. (AP)—Cotton prices slumped approximately \$3 a bale here today following publication of the government crop report giving an indicated crop of 15,543,000 bales, which was evidently larger than the trade expected. Immediately after resumption of business following the usual 20 minutes recess for reception of this report, October traded off to 18.43 and December 18.03, or 39 to 41 points higher from the prices ruling just before the report was issued.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Cotton futures dropped about \$2 a bale at the New York cotton exchange today on publication of the government crop estimate. The calculation of the crop at 15,543,000 bales was largely unexpected and generally expected, and caused heavy selling.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—(AP)—A cotton crop of 15,543,000 bales of 50 pounds gross weight is indicated for the year ending August 1, which was 69.6 per cent of a normal, the department of agriculture announced today.  
Last year's crop was 14,478,000 bales of 50 pounds gross weight, while the August 1 condition was 67.9 per cent and the August 10 average condition is 67.3. The indicated crop is estimated on the basis of the acreage in cultivation (Continued on Page 5).

#### Americanization Of German Bride Grief to Hubby

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Ernest Alheim likes the United States all right—as a place to live; but the womenfolk over here don't suit him.  
His dislike of American femininity was so strong that last year when he decided it was time he was getting married he went clear back to Germany to get his wife. His name was Kunigunde and with her Alheim had visions of great happiness in setting up a real oldworld household in this land of flappers.  
But no sooner had they arrived in Chicago than Kunigunde started a campaign to be like the rest of the women in the neighborhood. One by one she adopted the short skirt, the boyish bob, and sun-tan dress and all the other items so distressing to Alheim.  
The end, apparently came yesterday when Kunigunde started a separate temporary alimony in a separate maintenance suit. Alheim was in court, but not to contest the action—he filed a \$25,000 suit against the woman who taught his wife English and started the way toward Americanization.

#### Bodies Mother and Daughter Found in Room

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Aug. 8.—(AP)—The bodies of Mrs. Burt Wilson, 36, and her daughter, Madeline, 17, were found early today in the girl's room in the Wilson home. Police expressed the belief the mother killed the daughter and herself with a .32 calibre pistol found in the room.  
Mrs. Wilson had been suffering from a nervous attack, police were told.

#### Lower Temperatures Reported Wednesday

DALLAS, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Some relief from the intense heat of the past few days in most sections of Texas was noted yesterday by the government weather bureau here. The highest temperature, 104 degrees, was reported at Albany, Graham, Greenville, San Angelo, Seymour and Sherman. The average for the state was between 96 and 98 degrees.

#### COMMISSION NAMED SETTLE DIFFERENCES ARISING OVER SINKING CANADIAN RUM SHIP

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—(AP)—agents of their respective governments to appear before the commission, while W. K. Tilley, K. C., of Toronto, and Aime Geogrgion of Montreal, will assist Mr. Read.  
The schooner, which sailed under Canadian registry, was hailed in the Gulf of Mexico last March has been designated and is expected soon to select a time and place for its hearings.  
The United States is represented on the commission by Justice Willis Van Devanter of the supreme court, and Canada by Eugene LaFleur, K. C., of Montreal. George Wharton Pepper, former United States senator from Pennsylvania, and John E. Read, legal adviser of the Canadian department of external affairs, have been designated

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## YOUNG REPARATIONS PLAN IS DEFENDED BY FRANCE-ITALY

FRENCH MINISTER FINANCE DECLARES HIS COUNTRY HAD MADE SACRIFICES

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, Aug. 7. (AP)—The Young reparations plan, which came in for a heavy attack by Philip Snowden, British chancellor of the exchequer, at yesterday's opening sessions of the reparations conference, had two defenders today in the delegates of France and Italy.

Henri Cheron, French finance minister, and Senator Masconi of Italy, both took the position that the reparations plan was a compromise between the new schedules of annuities were elaborated by the experts at Paris with great care after the greatest difficulties and must be approved if the present conference wants to get any results. Snowden took the thorns out of European politics and liquidating the last problems left over by the world war.

The French finance minister insisted that France had made sacrifices in order to facilitate a compromise on the reparations problem and had reached a limit which she could not pass.

Italian Reply to Snowden. Senator Masconi, replying to Mr. Snowden's speech of yesterday, declaring that Italy was receiving under the Young plan only what was due her.

While France and Italy were defending the plan against Mr. Snowden's criticism which was based on the distribution of the reparations to be paid by Germany, the smaller countries gave indication of a determined move on their part to obtain an increase in their allotments although they are not going so far as to demand revision of the entire plan.

M. Titulescu of Rumania referred the conference to a letter which his government addressed to France, England and Italy last month declaring that the sums allotted his country under the Young plan were insufficient to meet its outpayments and could not be accepted.

### COURTHOUSE NEWS.

**District Court News.** The July term grand jury which has been in recess a week, is scheduled to resume its investigations Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

### District Clerk's Office.

The following cases have been filed: The State of Texas vs. Joe Bailey Cobb, et al. bond forfeiture. H. M. McConnell vs. Myrtle McConnell, divorce. The State of Texas vs. Mrs. Joe Bailey Cobb et al. bond forfeiture. The State of Texas vs. Staley Woodray et al. bond forfeiture. The State of Texas vs. Staley Woodray et al. bond forfeiture. The State of Texas vs. W. H. Hampton et al. bond forfeiture.

### County Court.

A white woman, 23 years old, was adjudged of unsound mind by the county court Wednesday morning.

### Commissioners' Court.

At the Wednesday morning's session of the commissioners' court, W. George, attorney, refused the proffered settlement between the court and J. R. English for \$750 for 6.175 acres; L. Steward for \$700 for 5.12-16 acres; J. P. Magruder for \$1000 for 6.12-16 acres for right of ways on Highway No. 75 and the cases will be tried in the county court on the condemnation proceedings. It was intimated that the county will employ counsel and try the cases as soon as possible.

A road from North Twenty-sixth street westward to the Pinkston Barry-Bloomington Grove road was ordered opened as a public road and Commissioner Jack Megarity will grade the road within the immediate future, it was intimated.

Deeds from Charles C. Jester, and others for the 40-foot right of way were filed.

County Judge Clay Nash announced that he had received the check for \$5,000 from the Texas Pipeline company since Tuesday for the settlement agreed between the court and the Magnolia and Texas Pipeline companies so that the court would move the designation of the Corsicana-Emhouse station in Consolidated Road District No. 1 in order not to disturb certain pipelines maintained by the companies in certain sections of the proposed road.

At the Tuesday afternoon session of the court, R. S. McDonald was paid \$855 for the moving of houses on the Central Texas Grocery Company and Leebetter farms on Highway No. 75.

The bond of A. S. Weathers at Dawson as a deputy public weigher was approved.

**Sheriff's Office.** Sheriff Rufus Ferehouse has come to California for Lois Treadwell, wanted here on a grand jury indictment for the alleged theft of over \$50.

J. C. Lewis, negro, is in the New County jail charged by complaint in Judge S. B. Jordan's court with kidnapping in connection with the alleged taking of three minor children of A. P. Two boys, 10 and 12, were found near Cheneyboro Tuesday night but a girl about 14 was not found by the officers.

The arrest was made by Deputy Sheriff J. M. Westbrook and Alton Bradley. The case will be presented to the grand jury Thursday.

**Mineral Deed.** J. S. Starnes, Harlan Johnson, 1-48 royalty interest in 54 1-2 acres of B. L. Hanks survey, \$1 and other considerations.

**Warranty Deed.** C. C. Albright et al. H. R. Stewart, lot 5, block 342, Corsicana, \$1,600 and other considerations.

G. G. Owen of Emhouse was in town Tuesday attending to business.

**Eastman 2-A CAMERAS** only \$1.98. Regular value \$3.50. — City Book Store.

## Farm Board Unites Conflicting Units In Wheat Industry

BY FRANK I. WELER

(Associated Press Farm Editor.)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7. (AP)—With one encompassing gesture, the federal farm board has put the game cocks of the grain trade in the same pen.

Long at loggerheads, with their differences held responsible for the delay in appointment of a grain board, the farm board, wheat pool, on one hand, and cooperative grain elevators on the other, are brought under a common roof in the proposed \$200,000,000 cooperative marketing corporation.

The super-organization would act as a central marketing agency through which the annual exports of 200,000,000 bushels, or approximately one-fourth of the entire wheat crop of the nation, would be sold abroad.

There would be export representatives in foreign fields, acting much after the fashion of foreign export agencies maintained by the Canadian wheat pool, which handles half of Canada's wheat crop. It would act as an intermediary between the farm board and the cooperatives in wheat operations on the domestic market.

Pool and elevator interests would be on an equal footing in financing the corporation, both subject to assessments on the basis of membership.

On consent of the units joining the corporation, the farm board has authority amount of the sum necessary to match loans from the federal revolving fund, to pay interest on the federal loan or to retire the principal advanced in creating capital for the corporation.

Regardless of the plan by which the board finances the organization, members cannot be assessed for losses encountered in actual operations. Assessments, as referred to in connection with the corporation, have to do only with the creation of working capital.

The farm board has three avenues of finance. It can advance the necessary capital from the revolving fund until the corporation is self-supporting; it can get capital from large financial institutions interested in the grain trade, or it can stock to its members.

The assessment idea is new. In other marketing schemes, cooperatives have not been friendly to assessments for working capital, but heretofore none has been comparable to the present proposal.

It is regarded as noteworthy that the board places \$200,000,000 as the initial fund. Less delay is anticipated if operations are to be started on a smaller sum, particularly if part of it is to be obtained from units joining the new corporation.

**SANDINO AND HIS FOLLOWERS TO BE INTERNED BELIZE**

MERIDA, Yucatan, Aug. 8. (AP)—General Augustino Sandino, fugitive Nicaraguan insurgent chieftain and his followers have been sent from this city to Vallagorda, where it was said here, they will be sent to Belize, British Honduras, for internment.

Socrates Sandino, brother of the Nicaraguan leader, embarked yesterday for Vera Cruz aboard the American steamer, "Mexico."

The Mexican government early in the summer gave General Sandino and his companions the privilege of political asylum in Mexico granting a temporary release of six months in Merida, Yucatan.

From the time of his arrival at Vera Cruz, Sandino made utterances announcing continuance of his opposition to the United States, and stating he resided in Mexico only temporarily until he could recoup his fortunes and renew his military campaign against the marines in Nicaragua.

**REDISCOUNT RATE RAISED.** WASHINGTON, Aug. 8. (AP)—The federal reserve board announced today that the federal reserve bank of New York has established a rediscount rate of 6 per cent on all notes of maturity of all maturities effective August 9.

B. E. Harlen of Mildred spent a few hours here Tuesday on business.

R. L. Dillard of the Pettys Chapel community spent several hours here Tuesday attending to business.

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## SMOOT PREPARING NEW SLIDING PLAN IN SUGAR TARIFF

CHAIRMAN OF SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE SAYS BILL BE READY AUG. 26

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8. (AP)—Chairman Smoot of the senate finance committee, announced today he was preparing an alternative sliding scale sugar tariff proposal under which the fluctuating duties would be based on raw sugar prices instead of refined sugar quotations.

At the same time he said he believed the tariff bill would be ready for submission to the senate by August 26, a week after that body is scheduled to reconvene.

Many of the witnesses at yesterday's hearing objected to the sliding scale as admitted holding it based the duties on the wholesale price of refined sugar at New York.

Smoot said it would make little difference if the duties were based on raw prices as the principle was the same.

The only difference he saw in the original plan was that the refineries margin would be more stabilized.

**Oil and Products Free**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8. (AP)—The senate finance committee today approved retention of crude oil and all of its by-products including gasoline on the free list in the tariff bill.

Crude oil is also non-dutiable under the house bill. A number of independent oil producers have sought a tariff on petroleum and its by-products with a view to lessening importations of cheap oil from Latin-American countries which they hold competes with coal for fuel purposes.

The committee approved transfer of a chemical known as tragacanth from the free list. It would have a duty of 20 per cent.

**LOCAL BUSINESS MAN RECEIVES MAIL ON GRAF ZEPPELIN**

August Weidemann, member of the firm of McElwee & Weidemann, publishers of the Collin Street Bakery and DeLuxe Fruit Cake Company, has received two post cards depicting beautiful scenes in Mr. Weidemann's fatherland, Germany.

Both cards coming over on the Graf Zeppelin and being mailed out of New York at 3 a. m. Monday.

The cards bear special air mail stamps of the Deutsche Luftpost with an additional stamp of the "Mit Luftpost Par Avion." The postmark bears the words "Luftschiff Graf Zeppelin—Amerikafahrt 1929" and bears the picture of the Statue of Liberty with the Graf Zeppelin sailing over her head. The postage stamp also bears a picture of the big air liner.

The cards were from relatives in Mr. Weidemann's old home.

**Two Interesting Wortham Social Events of Week**

WORTHAM, Aug. 8. (Sp.)—On Wortham's social calendar of this week are featured two very enjoyable affairs, that of Monday afternoon, when Madames F. B. Wood and J. J. Stubbs were hostess in the home of Mrs. Wood to the auxiliary of the Central Presbyterian church.

An interesting program, directed by Mrs. Henry Meador, presented the assigned topic for the afternoon, "Orientals in America." Those on the program appeared in costume. In one corner of the large living room, ornamented to represent a Chinese tea-house in San Francisco, provided an interesting display and play for the 26 members and a few guests.

Attendance was most gratifying with the thermometer at 102, some members out of town and some sick. A cooling refreshment plate, which further emphasized the topic presented, was served at conclusion of the program.

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Henry Meador entertained from 4 to 6 o'clock, honoring her little daughter, Lillie Roark's birthday. Sixteen little girls enjoyed this happy affair, with the many unique plans and games, arranged always for children's birthday parties.

Dr. and Mrs. K. W. Sneed have received message from their son, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Sneed, of Corsicana, that they would reach home Tuesday night. Dr. W. R. Sneed has been in Rochester, Minn., taking post-graduate work in the famous Mayo Clinic, as well as returning by Chicago for some clinic work there.

## KEEN DISAPPOINTMENT WAS FELT AT STATE CAPITAL AS RESULT AMENDMENT DEFEAT

By R. W. BARRY (Associated Press Staff Writer.)

AUSTIN, Aug. 7. (AP)—Apparent defeat of the two proposed constitutional amendments at the July 18 election, at first believed, on the basis of meager unofficial returns, to have carried, brought about disappointment to the state capital.

Gov. Dan Moody, whose administration had urged court reform, among the proposed changes being a nine-member supreme court accessible every day in the year by abolition of the constitutional three months' annual vacation, was plainly chagrined by the results, as indicated by later unofficial and still incomplete tabulations of the vote.

Seemingly the governor's disappointment was shared by Chief Justice C. M. Cureton, who had his seat on the proposed enlarged court. He had lent his recommendation to the amendment, having foregone a vacation to stay here and aid the proposal at the polls.

Returns indicated the amendment might possibly have been adopted, he turned his interest to rearrangement of the court room, where the nine justices would meet every week under the new law and the constitution. Like a gardener tending his roses and shrubs he had court attaches bring in six additional chairs and place them on the platform out in front of the court room.

Gov. Moody was besieged with petitions for barristers who were disappointed for places on the enlarged court. He had made up his mind who to put in the extra chairs.

Then came reports that private sources had gathered information that the amendments had been defeated. A semi-official investigation apparently confirmed these reports.

Those who urged the constitutional amendments pointed out that the expense of the enlarged court had probably prompted many persons to oppose the change. However, the two commissions of appeals which consider cases referred to them by the supreme court will continue to function, although without authority to act finally—with the cost as great as that which would have been incurred had the amendment carried.

There is another amendment coming up for a vote in the general election of 1930 proposing a continuous session of the supreme court. If carried it would likely work an additional hardship on the present over-worked three member court, it is said.

It is recalled that Chief Justice Cureton said in a speech recently before the Texas Bar Association that under present arrangements lawyers who served on the high court were apt to work out their lives sooner than it was intended.

"An old man who works over there nine months out of the year is apt to contract anything," the Chief Justice commented this week pointing to the supreme court judges' study, after he had been informed Judge Thomas B. Greenwood, associate justice, had been sick while on a vacation in Seattle, Wash., and had been threatened with pneumonia.

**Salary Increase Needed.** The same disappointment was felt over the seeming failure of the amendment to increase the governor's salary from \$4,000 to \$10,000 annually. Everybody realizes that one who serves as governor leaves the office much poorer than when he went in, unless, of course, he has incomes from outside and independent sources.

Reported defeat of the salary increase amendment has put a damper on the movement that friends of Gov. Moody had started to induce him to stand a third term. Their argument was that the young Williamson county attorney who had spent four years in the governor's office a financial sacrifice during a period of his life when he could of all time least afford it, should be given two more years at \$10,000 a year to afford him opportunity to recoup his finances.

However, it was believed by other friends of Mr. Moody that the chief executive would have refused to be drafted under a plan of that kind. Still others are of the opinion he may decide to come out for a third term anyway, believing that he should take to the people some of his ideas of government—such as substituting an income tax for the ad valorem levy, and regulation of public utilities—which were turned down by the legislature.

One thing is positive: Gov. Moody does not believe in raising the salary of an official while that official is serving a term. He has always insisted, when salary increases were proposed, that they be made effective at expiration of the term he is serving.

**Items of Interest About Wortham and Visiting Peoples**

WORTHAM, Aug. 8. (Sp.)—Among Wortham people who have been on extended trips to conventions and summer study, that have returned, the latest arrivals were Mrs. Lucindy Weaver, Mrs. Mayme Weaver, Ruth Suttle, and Audrey Posey. The last two took special work in Peabody Teachers' College. They made the trip in their car and returned by several of the Southern states, spending several days in New Orleans.

Dr. K. W. Sneed returned from the American Memorial Association at Portland, Oregon, besides attending clinics along the Pacific Coast, visiting also in Vancouver, Canada, several weeks ago.

Mrs. W. A. Posey, who attended the W. B. A. National convention at Atlantic City, also visited New York City, Washington and other large Eastern cities. She returned several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bounds and little daughter, Christine, Mr. and Mrs. Clevis Bounds, who went on a vacation trip in the Ozarks, returned home last week.

Mrs. C. J. Turner of Fort Worth, Mesdames J. R. Knight and Mary Stanberry, Miss Margie Knight of Children, and Miss Dorothy Knight of Wichita Falls, have been visiting relatives and friends, and the house guests of the H. E. Stubbs home, returned to their respective homes Saturday.

Rev. C. E. Fletcher and wife are Bible conference now convening there.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lindly and daughter, Miss Evelyn, of Waco, visited relatives here this week.

Miss Alice Anderson of Center, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stubbs of Mexia, visited in Wortham.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Horn have returned from several days' visit in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Peyton were in Dawson during the week attending to business and visiting Peyton Bros. new store, recently opened in that city.

**PROBE MARCONI MARKET** NEW YORK, Aug. 8. (AP)—A wide discrepancy between the prices of the stocks of the Marconi International Marine Communications company stock on the New York curb exchange and in London today led the curb exchange to investigate the positions of its members in the shares.

Dick Satter of Emhouse, spent a few hours in the city Tuesday on business.

Art Gilliam's latest: "You've Made Me Dream Come True" and "I'm Still Caring"—CITY BOOK STORE.

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## FLOWERS, SHRUBS AND TREES

GARDEN ACCESSORIES By D. Victor Lumsden (U. S. Department of Agriculture)

A sundial, bird bath, garden seat or pergola often supplies a needed finishing touch to the garden.

Any architectural construction with its geometric lines serves as a focal point and causes the gaze of an observer to rest upon its very definite form. Such objects are usually white or light grey so that they stand out prominently against a background of green foliage.

Therefore, a feature of this kind should be located at the end of a vista and the planting which surrounds it should function as a setting from any chosen point of view.

At the intersection of two axes in a garden emphasis can be effected by placing sun dial. This spot is important in any garden scheme, and the location there of an architectural feature is frequently justifiable. Sunlight also is most likely to be present throughout the day at such a place.

A bird bath can be used in a more sheltered spot and, because of its nature, is more suited to a less formal garden. A low bird bath close to the shrubbery is pleasing, but do not place it where birds may fall prey to prowling animals. Under such circumstances select one about three feet high with a large overhanging bowl and place it at a safe distance from shrubbery.

A garden should serve as an outdoor living room when the days are pleasant. Garden seats of wood or stone should furnish not only a place to rest, but should function as part of the garden design. Seats should be of simple, pleasing design and comfortable.

For a support for climbing roses, vines and grapes a pergola has a charm that makes it worthy of consideration in any garden, but its use in small areas is limited because of the space it occupies. Avoid too much ornamentation. The architectural detail should suggest the design of the house on the same property. White or a neutral color is most effective. A pergola showing a walk and terminated by a seat with a deep green background of shrubs makes a most attractive garden vista.

**Beaumont Educator Accepts Place With Amarillo College**

AMARILLO, Aug. 8. (AP)—D. W. Bolin, president of the South Park Junior college, Beaumont, has accepted a conditional two-year contract as head of the Amarillo Municipal Junior college at a salary of \$5,000 a year. His employment is contingent upon an election the latter part of this month to determine whether the college will open this fall.

Should the election carry, college work will start September 28. Seven rooms on one of the ward schools will house the enrollment this year.

Amarillo is the first city to take advantage of the new Texas law providing for junior colleges in connection with the public school system.

Lee Moss motored to Ft. Worth on business Tuesday.

Bug White of the Pettys Chapel community, visited for several hours here Tuesday on business.

Dick Bryant of Mildred was in Corsicana Tuesday on business.

Intermission music at PALACE and IDEAL is produced from Columbia New Process Records. Buy them at City Book Store.

**Chinaman Killed By Train Found Near Eagle Lake**

EAGLE LAKE, Aug. 8. (AP)—The body of a Chinese, decapitated by a train, was found on the Southern Pacific tracks near the station here today. Letters on the body indicated that his name was Kar Kung Shaw of San Antonio.

The man was missed when the train he was riding reached Rosenberg. The conductor said the Chinese got on and off each time the train stopped. It was believed he tried to swing on at Eagle Lake, missed his footing and fell under the wheels.

**LOUISIANA DEMOS WIN CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION TUESDAY**

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 7. (AP)—The democratic solidarity in Louisiana withstood the stubborn republican attack in the third district where Numa, Montet, lawyer of Thibodaux, was elected to fill the unexpired term of the late Representative Whitmell P. Martin over M. R. Norman, republican banker of Morgan City, in yesterday's special election.

Despite the republican drive directed from national headquarters with the tariff the dominant issue, the democrat came through with a majority that may reach three thousand. With reports missing from only eleven of the 182 precincts, unofficial returns gave Mr. Montet a majority of 2,700 after a day of heavy voting that brought out nearly 20,000.

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## NEW MARRIAGE LAW OF ITALY EFFECTIVE CHURCH SUFFICIENT

### RUSH OF YOUNG PEOPLE FOR SIMPLIFIED CEREMONY WAS NOTED

ROME, Aug. 8. (P)—Today throughout all Italy the new marriage rules and regulations called for by the Lateran treaties between Italy and the Holy See came into force.

Wherever young couple went to the altar to be bound in matrimony they listened to the priest's explanation that now and henceforth marriage by the church is sufficient and marriage by the state is not necessary.

There was a great rush of young couples to avail themselves of the new simplified procedure, many having put off their marriage date until the new accord went into effect. Virtually every parish priest had several marriages to perform this morning, rivaling congestion in the month of June.

Fundamentally, the new regulations do not make radical changes. They simply bring marriage by the church and state on a par with anti-clerical politicians in Italy had lowered in standing, back to equal status with the church ceremony in America. Previously to the Lateran accord persons had to be married also by the state.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THURSDAY FOR MRS. BELLE BRAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Belle Bray, wife of W. W. Bray, who died Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the family residence, 618 North Beaton Street, following an illness of three weeks, were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the family home with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. F. P. Culver, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Surviving are her husband, one daughter, Mary Ann Bray, and mother, Mrs. Annie Clark, Corsicana.

Mrs. Bray had been a resident of Corsicana practically all of her life.

Funeral services were: T. J. Walton, Cecil Foster, Tom Eady, John C. Hughes, W. T. Parker and Sam Allen.

The funeral was directed by the Sutherland Funeral home.

**SWIFT NOT ALWAYS WINNER**  
THE HAGUE, Aug. 8. (P)—Not always, the race to the swift. Edwin Wilson, American observer at the reparations conference, was the object of sympathy when he arrived too late to obtain quarters in hotels set aside for the delegations. Then he landed sumptuous "dignities" in the aristocratic section of the city.

**BABY DIES.**  
The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bridger on Sunday, August 4, and claimed their precious baby, Clarence Newton Bridger, who had been sick for two weeks. All that loving hands and medical aid could possibly do, was done for him, but all in vain.

Little Clarence Newton was born November 24, 1927, and departed this life August 4 at 4:30 p. m. making him twenty months and twelve days old. He left to mourn his sweetest little life, his father and mother, one sister and three brothers, a grandmother and grandfather, seven uncles and three aunts.

Clarence Newton was the light of the home only a short while, and now it seems so lonely and dark without him; but God knew best and called him home.

The funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Eleventh Avenue Methodist church, the Rev. G. F. Karney, pastor of the church officiating. Burial was in the following order: Mr. and Mrs. Bridger; Henry O. and Robert Boswell, Lloyd and Arthur Bridger.

The funeral was directed by the Corley-McMahon Funeral home and burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bridger mourn with them in the loss of their sweet baby. May they submit to God's will and realize that there is one more angel in heaven.

"A precious one from us has gone,  
A voice we loved is stilled,  
A place is vacant in our home  
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## Happenings At The Courthouse

**District Court.**  
The grand jury which has been in recess since last week, resumed its investigations Thursday morning.

**Commissioner's Court.**  
At the Wednesday afternoon session of the Navarro county commissioners court, the firm of Richard and A. P. Mays were employed to represent the county in the five condemnation suits over right-of-way for highway No. 75 against T. H. Steward, A. F. Soape, J. R. English, J. L. Caffey and Mrs. Margaret Edens Cox, which are now pending in the county court.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
One negro is in jail charged by complaint with kidnapping and a statutory charge and two others are being sought on statutory charges in connection with the disappearance of a 14-year-old negro from near Powell who was found near Cheneyboro Tuesday night. It is expected that the case will be presented to the Navarro grand jury today.

Deputy Sheriff V. McMurray returned late Wednesday afternoon from Edinburg with Hubert Lassiter and Frank Branham to face grand jury indictments here for alleged burglary. They were still in the county jail Thursday morning.

**Warranty Deeds.**  
James S. Davis, et al., to Mrs. Maggie Davis, 73.27 acres of the

John Choate league survey, \$2,875. Mrs. Annie McHenry to Mrs. Julia Johnston, lots 8 and 9, block 5, R. L. Miller addition, Corsicana; lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 3, R. L. Miller addition, Corsicana; lots 10 and 11, block 1, R. L. Miller addition, Corsicana; lots 4, 5 and 6, block 2, R. L. Miller addition, Corsicana; lots 6 and 7, block 372, Corsicana; lots 1, 2 and 3, Lee's subdivision, Corsicana; lot 2, H. G. Johnston's subdivision of block 372, Corsicana; lot 1, H. G. Johnston's subdivision of block 372, Corsicana, \$10 and other considerations.

**County Auditor's Office.**  
Records show that \$418,114.82 has been paid out for construction of roads with consolidated road district No. 1 and \$55,550.01 has been paid out for engineering work in the district up to the present time, according to J. M. Tullos, county auditor, which is 12.80 percent for engineering for the amounts paid out of the road funds.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
S. O. Young and Mrs. Ethel Lynch.  
T. J. Weldon and Elton McDougal.

**Justice Court.**  
Special Officer Tom Haney of the Humble company brought four young boys before Judge S. B. Jordan Thursday morning in connection with certain alleged theft cases.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH T. N. G. PLANS AT CAMP PALACIOS

CAMP PALACIOS, Aug. 8. (P)—Heavy rains today caused officers of the 36th division, Texas national guard, in camp here to abandon their plans of taking the field in the mimic battle which has been raging for the past three days. Commanding officers and staffs will remain at Camp Palacios and carry out the problem theme. Six hundred officers and men had expected to move to Blessing to complete the maneuvers.

Having acquitted themselves creditably at the first review yesterday, units of the division attending the annual summer encampment were preparing for more serious work on the target ranges the rest of the week.

**NO RACE SUICIDE**  
CARLE PLACE, N. Y., Aug. 8. (P)—Speaking of records, this village has 229 families with a population of 1,431. It seems to figure out an average of more than six to the family.

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## NEW COUNTY ROAD WILL OPEN UP BIG SUBURBAN SECTOR

Chas. G. Jester presented to the Commissioners' Court yesterday deeds for a fifty foot road through the Jester, Frazier and Martin farms from North Twenty-sixth street through Jester Place to the Pinkston-Berry pike road, running just north of the F. N. Drane Academy Farms. This new road which will be known as the Martindale road which, as named by Mr. Jester, was accepted by the county, and within a few days the county will put its force of road builders to work in opening up this new county road.

The opening up of this new road will give access to several hundred acres of well located suburban property which Mr. Jester contemplates improving in a substantial way in the near future, as well as makes a short cut from the western section of the city.

## PRO COMMISSIONER ACCEPTS SLAYING OF TEXAN AS ACCIDENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8. (P)—Prohibition Commissioner Doran said today an official report on the fatal shooting of Tom Chandler, farmer, by Captain Charles Stevens, federal prohibition enforcement agent, at Poteat, Texas, indicated the shooting was accidental.

The report said Stevens' statement that Chandler was shot during a raid on his farm when the agent slipped and fell, was substantiated by other witnesses. Doran said the account would be accepted as accurate.

## Howard Is Given Three Months Stay

AUSTIN, Aug. 8. (P)—Percy W. Howard of El Paso, who was to have been electrocuted at Huntsville prison Friday morning was given a three-months reprieve by Governor Boody today. The new execution date is set for Nov. 9.

Howard was convicted of the murder of L. V. Nixon. He had two trials, receiving life imprisonment in the first.

**THAT'S JUST TOO BAD**  
ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Aug. 8. (P)—Another menace of the talidomide develops. One theatre here has barred the eating of peanuts among the gallery gods, asserting that it produces a pseudo-static interference with the sound motif and such new fandangles.

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## East Central Texas Pools Still Showing Gradual Output Drop

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 8.—Central Texas continues to decline. The 1,215 wells produced an average of 16,939 barrels a day the past week, compared with 17,638 barrels a day the week previous. The output by pools the two weeks follow:

Pools	Wells	Last Wk.	Prev. Wk.
Powell	554	6,700	6,878
Mexia	408	5,302	5,380
Woggy Creek	15	2,682	3,000
Wortham	122	1,050	1,100
Currie	36	445	450
Richland	39	385	380
Nigger Creek	31	380	385
Cedar Creek	8	95	95
Grand total	1,215	16,939	17,638

## Government May Obtain Valuable Supply Morphine

FORT WORTH, Aug. 8. (P)—The government's acquisition of illicit morphine said to be worth \$12,000 at bootleg prices was in prospect here today.

The drug was found yesterday by officers in a can buried near here. It will be analyzed and if found pure will be used in federal hospitals. No arrests were made.

**WILL VISIT SON.**  
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wright, Barry, Route 1, were in Corsicana Thursday en route to Fallon, Nevada, where they will make an extended visit with their son, J. T. Wright.

**STRONG CARGO, INDEED**  
LAKEHURST, Aug. 8. (P)—Its strange cargo manifest, this of the Graf Zep's first world tour: One Boston bull pup, one alligator, one bowling ball, two auto tires, one typewriter, one case on insecticide, 16 pounds of lamb chops, etc.

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## TENT REVIVAL TO OPEN NEXT SUNDAY NORTH CORSICANA

The North Corsicana and Max Avenue Methodist churches are beginning a revival meeting Sunday morning, Aug. 11th. The Rev. J. U. (Jess) McAfee, pastor at Kerens, and an old time resident of Corsicana, will do the preaching beginning Monday. The Rev. P. W. Walker, pastor of the local churches, will preach at both services Sunday.

The meeting will be under a large tent located in North Corsicana, some four blocks north of the railroad, between Beaton and Commerce streets. There will be morning services at 10 o'clock, and

## Long-Time Resident Of Wortham Dies in Teague on Tuesday

WORTHAM, Aug. 8. (Sp1)—Mrs. J. L. Childs, age 85, life-long resident of Wortham, died at her home in Teague late Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Childs was formerly Miss Joe Edwards, and when quite young was married to the late John L. Stubbs. Wortham had all evening services at 8 o'clock. Bro. McAfee will use a series of sermons on Prayer and the Holy Spirit at the morning hours. Music will be furnished by the joint choir of the two churches. All other affairs of the meeting are shared equally by each church, and the joint meeting is expected to be one of unusual interest and value. A cordial welcome awaits you at any or all of these services.

ways been her home until the past five years she and her husband moved to Teague.

The body was brought to Wortham Wednesday by the Burleson funeral directors of this city. Services were conducted in the First Baptist church by her pastor, the Rev. Watts of Brenham, interment following in the Wortham cemetery. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist church.

Surviving the deceased are her husband, three brothers, John Edwards and Artemus Edwards of Wortham, and Rufus Edwards of Teague.

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### W. ROY CHRISTIAN QUITS AS SECRETARY CHAMBER COMMERCE

### CLARENCE OUSLEY DISCUSS HIGHWAY PROBLEMS TUES- DAY MORNING

Resignation of W. Roy Christian, secretary-manager of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce for the past three and a half years, was tendered the board of directors and accepted at their regular meeting Tuesday morning. Clarence Ousley, head of the highway department of the East Texas chamber of commerce, addressed the directors on highway problems; and Chairman A. G. Elliott announced that the abolition of the fifty cent fee charged the farmers by local cotton buyers last season.

Vice-President W. P. McCammon presided at the meeting in the absence of President C. L. Jester. He introduced the new members of the board, I. N. Cerf and Joe B. Fortson.

### Cotton Fee Eliminated

The full report of the committee follows: Gentlemen: We, your committee named by the president to investigate the fifty-cent per bale cotton handling fee and seek its elimination, have held several conferences with representatives of the several factors. Our findings briefly are as follows:

First, that the fifty-cent per bale fee was added by local cotton merchants at the beginning of last year's cotton season, to meet what they felt was a part of the legitimate expense incident to the marketing of cotton.

Second, that the fee was unpopular with the farmers and worked to the disadvantage of the local spot market.

Through the very fine cooperation of each of the interested groups we have been able to arrive at what we believe is an entirely satisfactory solution for elimination of the fee.

The local banks, through the Corsicana Clearing House, have agreed to waive exchange on clearances of inter-bank transactions within the city.

The Corsicana Warehouse company and E. K. Moore's cotton buyers have agreed to lower their fee per bale from seventy-five to fifty cents.

Corsicana cotton merchants have agreed, in view of these concessions, to eliminate immediately the fifty-cent per bale charge to the farmer and thus absorb their part of this handling fee—giving the advantage to the farmer.

We have found a spirit of give and take among these groups and a desire to keep Corsicana to the forefront as a favorable local cotton market. We believe that the farmer will appreciate this desire to waive his interest and that the community as a whole will be benefited through the good will which will come from this increased appeal of Corsicana as a cotton market.

Respectfully submitted: A. G. ELLIOTT, Chairman. I. N. Cerf, J. N. Edens, J. E. Butler, Wade Smith, Guy Gibson, Sydney Marks, B. Kenner, Kai Schwartz, Committee.

Fort Worth Aerodrome. Secretary Christian stated that general letters had been received from the Fort Worth association of commerce in regard to making Corsicana one of the ports of call on their annual fall aerodrome early in September. He asserted that there would be about twenty planes and possibly 80 business men. He was instructed to extend an official invitation to the association to visit Corsicana.

He also read a letter from the Buffalo, N. Y. chamber which invited a local group of the possibility of securing a call from the aerodrome that left there on June 15 and is now on an extended tour of the North American continent. He was instructed to invite that group if he saw fit.

Secretary Christian announced to the directors that several people had suggested that this might be a proper time to confer with Cotton Belt officials on elimination of a large amount of the noise incident to the switching in the yards in the southwestern portions of the

residence section. With an elaborate program improvements under way, it is thought in some quarters that perhaps a rerouting might be worked out, or at least some improvement made in present conditions.

The chair stated that a committee would be named to work with the city commission on this project.

**Discuss Highway Problems.** Clarence Ousley, chairman of the East Texas chamber of commerce highway department, was presented to the directors and briefly presented some of the highway problems confronting Texas.

He declared that for some time a need has been felt for the consideration of highway matters by some group outside the highway department and the legislature, and Governor Moody selected a committee of seven more than a year ago to make an investigation.

The present tax for highways is inadequate, Mr. Ousley asserted, and many gaps exist because the counties are unable to bear the burden of additional taxes, and state funds must be made available if these gaps in improved and hard surfaced roads are to be filled.

He asserted that there is not a 125-mile continuous stretch of hard surfaced road in the state, because of the many counties that are unable to provide hard-surfaced highways.

Gas tax exemptions as provided by the present law may be held unconstitutional, Mr. Ousley asserted, after interviewing a number of the leaders of the state. He asserted that these exemptions were made to prevent a heavy burden being placed on tractors on the farm, and those who use gasoline tax is likely to prove unpopular, and much complaint is anticipated. The people, he asserted, have a way of having laws changed when they are unpopular.

The only way that funds can be provided is by a constitutional amendment that will allow the issuance of state bonds so that counties may be reimbursed for the construction of state highways, and at the same time, the exemptions on farm machines made legal.

He asserted that the people should not be forced to pay a tax on their land to build roads, but that the tax should be on gasoline and cars, that use the highways. After long and careful study it has been found impossible to reimburse the counties out of the current revenue.

He stated that the East Texas chamber had been vitally interested in the project for several months and that they had prepared certain recommendations which they asked typical and representative points to consider.

**Seek Traffic Census.** First, these towns through their chambers of commerce are asked to gather reliable data on the amount of outstanding bonded indebtedness, and its division as to its use for lateral or state highways. Many tax payers are very unfamiliar with the distribution of their money. Then a traffic census for four or seven days is recommended at such points in the county on the state highways, that the local traffic to and from suburbs will be negligible, and an accurate check made on the numbers of cars from outside the county that use the highways. Unless conditions have changed very recently, Mr. Ousley stated that from 75 to 90 per cent of the traffic would be found to come from outside the county and would continue through the county to others.

He announced that finally a state highway body had been formed in Austin last Friday, consisting of representatives of the East, West and South Texas chambers, and that very probably in the future the work in which he was engaged would be carried on by that group. The purpose of this committee he declared was to prevent the information secured from these various

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR W. O. HONEA IS HELD LATE TUESDAY

Funeral services for Willard Otto Honea, aged 24, who died Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock at his home, 1613 West Eleventh avenue, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the Rev. R. M. Thomas, pastor of the Pentecostal church, officiating. Interment was in the Hamilton cemetery, three miles south of Corsicana.

A number of relatives survive. The Harris Corsicana Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

points to the tax paying public and inform them of the need of adequate legislation.

**Favors State Bonds.** The East Texas chamber, he said, favored a constitutional amendment and the issuance of \$200,000,000 of bonds, with one-half of the amount to be used in reimbursing counties, with the actual value of the highway at the time taken over by the state as a basis with full credit additional expenditures since that time; and the remainder to be used in completing the system of hard surfaced roads in the state.

This bond issue could be retired with a reasonable gas tax and even lower auto fees than provided in the latest bill passed by the legislature.

It will also mean a greater amount of money for the respective counties, he declared. High charges are always resented by the public, he stated, and a three cent tax has been found to gain the maximum revenue with the minimum of complaint.

In a period of 12 years the system of hard-surfaced road could be completed with a greater saving on maintenance than the total of the interest and sinking fund on the bonds.

**Few Miles Hard Surface.** Of the 18,000 miles of state highways in Texas, only about 4,000 miles are hard-surfaced. On the hard-surfaced roads the cost of maintenance is \$27 per mile per year, while on the others the cost is \$760 per mile per year, and the public would be able to save \$500 per mile by hard surfacing.

He stated that the matter was now in the hands of the legislature, and he asserted that if the people would start thinking about the problems they would soon be solved. The matter was referred to the highway committee for future report and action.

Chairman E. M. Polk of the committee on vital statistics stated that some work had been done but that the committee was not ready to present a full report.

A committee composed of F. N. Drane, Mayor R. L. Wheelock, and E. M. Polk was named to draft resolution of respect to the late W. H. Hastings, a member of the board.

**Christian Resigns.** Vice President McCammon stated that it was with regret that he allowed the secretary to make a statement. W. Roy Christian then tendered his resignation in a letter to the board; the letter follows:

To the President and Board of Directors, Chamber of Commerce: Gentlemen—I am transmitting herewith my resignation as secretary-manager of the Corsicana chamber of commerce, which it has been my pleasure to serve for more than three and a half years, with the request that it become effective as soon as the best interests of the office allow.

It is with sincere regret that I consider the prospect of leaving Corsicana—a city with a people which I have come to admire and love—and a connection with an organization which has been entirely pleasant to me.

My move is prompted solely by the desire to engage in a wider field of activity.

I would be entirely untrue to my feelings and sense of gratitude to the community and chamber of

### Reward Offered for Apprehension of Tom Shook

WICHITA FALLS, Aug. 6.—(AP)—A reward of \$150 has been posted by Governor Moody for the capture of Tom Shook, former Electra police chief, who has been a fugitive from justice since a spectacular break from the Wichita county jail in August, 1928, it was learned here today.

The reward is to remain in effect for three months from August 2. Copies of the proclamation have been received by officers here today. Several indictments are pending against Shook, one of which charged murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Oscar Daugherty, a truck farmer.

commerce if I did not pledge my best efforts in any way desired to assist the directors and a new secretary of their selection in a continuance of the affairs of this office with the least interruption of the chamber's program of service.

It has been an inspiration to me to have been associated with such a splendid group of men who have given so much of their thought and money to the general advancement of the community's progress and welfare. I am happy that our relations have been so congenial.

Respectfully submitted, ROY CHRISTIAN.

### Express Regret

Members of the board expressed their regret at the tendered resignation, and the directorate went on record accepting with regret. A committee composed of Lowry Martin, Sydney Marks, Ted Ferguson, and W. P. Brown, was named to make recommendations for the selection of a new secretary-manager.

Mr. Christian has been the executive officer of the chamber for the past three and a half years, coming here in January, 1928, from Wichita where he had been engaged in similar work.

His resignation was tendered that he might accept the post of executive secretary of the Texas Ginner's association, with headquarters in Dallas. This trade association is now in its twenty-first year and is putting on an enlarged trade association service program. The association represents some 4,000 gins in the state with investments estimated at around \$80,000,000 and forming one of the state's basic industries.

He has been engaged in newspaper and commercial association work since his graduation from Baylor University. He has been managing editor of the Waco News-Tribune and the Austin American; was organization work secretary of the Western Young Men's Business League before war, and during the war was served as morale officer at Camp Travis and with the infantry. He has been secretary of the chambers at Seguin and Corsicana.

**Valuable Services.** During his period at the helm of the Corsicana organization he has rendered valuable aid in putting over numerous local and county-wide projects, including the voting of good road bonds, the securing of favorable legislation for a junior college, and the designation of the road from Corsicana to Palestine as a state highway.

He served as the advance representative of the All-Texas Good Will tour in 1927, and was state secretary of the Texas Commercial Executives Association in 1928-29.

As a citizen he has been actively engaged in all worth-while projects, and has been a leader in civic affairs, in the Little Theatre group, and in religious lines.

A large number of friends will regret his leaving the city, but will extend to him their best wishes as he enters a larger field of service.

He requested that his resignation be effective as soon as possible that he might enter his new place. It is expected that he will move his family to his new home about the end of the month.

### BONDS OF PUBLIC WEIGHERS APPROVED BY COMMISSIONERS

### MAGNOLIA AND TEXAS COM- PANY PIPELINE COMPANIES AGREE TO PAY

At the adjourned meeting of the Navarro county commissioners court Tuesday morning, the bonds of a number of deputy public weighers in various precincts of Navarro county were approved, the resignation of one constable was accepted, announcement was made that the Texas and Magnolia Pipeline companies had agreed to pay not to exceed \$5,000 each to the county to move the proposed designation of the Corsicana-Emhouse lateral road in consolidated road district No. 1 just east in certain sectors so as not to disturb the present pipelines operated there by the two companies and other matters were considered, including the designation of a public road in the Rushing sector.

The bonds of the following were approved as deputy public weighers: Jim Berry, Dawson; G. A. Hodges, Purdon; G. C. Braddock, Rice; J. T. Wear, Rice; C. C. Cherry, Kerens.

A petition was presented by S. M. Kerr signed by M. C. Strange, et al, asking to have a public road opened from a point on the Rushing road to Corsicana and extending approximately two and one-half miles west, which will cut off about five miles on the route of that community to Corsicana. It was pointed out that if the road was opened, that there was a possibility of having a mail route opened which will eliminate the present necessity of going about five miles for mail by some of the residents of the community.

The property owners have agreed to donate the necessary 50 feet for the right-of-way, clear the road site, build the fences and the county will grade the road and build the necessary bridges and culverts. It was intimated that work on this road will begin immediately.

The resignation of G. R. Mahaley, constable of the Rice precinct, due to ill health was accepted by the court. The successor to Mr. Mahaley will not be named for several days.

The check from the Magnolia Pipeline company has been received by the court in the settlement between the county and the Magnolia and Texas pipelines by the check for \$5,000 from the Texas company had not been received Tuesday morning. The two com-

panies and the commissioners courts have been negotiating and dickering for several months on the matter. With the settlement of this point on the right-of-way on the Corsicana-Emhouse lateral, it is expected that the work on that

sector of the road will be pushed. The court was in session Tuesday afternoon. At the Monday afternoon session of the commissioners, the county settled the damages asked by W. T. Holley on the Corsicana-Roane

lateral road in the sum of \$200. The Southern Prison company was authorized to make certain repairs on the Navarro county jail, including the recent attempt of prisoners to saw their way out of the jail.

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### THE PEST THREATENS HAVOC.

It needs to be said often and vigorously. The appearance of the Mediterranean fruit fly in Florida is a menace to the southern culture of fruit and important vegetables that, yes, threatens its existence. Department of agriculture experts say the pest can live wherever the ground does not freeze. Its spread in the South would so curtail supplies in the winter months that the North would suffer almost as seriously, from the lack of higher costs of foods essential in the modern diet.

There is a tragic illustration. Fifty years ago our mid-Pacific Territory of Hawaii seemed thoroughly proven the paradise of the Pacific which its tourist promoters now call it. It seemed proved an Eden of productivity as well as an Elysium where the climate is always kind, where greeneries abound and where the scenic wonders are compounded of the sea, glistening beaches, jagged cliffs and titanic volcanoes. Its two largest mountains—Manna Loa on the island of Hawaii and Haleakala, or House of the Sun, on the island of Maui—rise for the most part gradually 12,000 feet above the ocean level. Mauna Loa especially is a vast mound. These and other Hawaiian mountains might now be terraces of diversified farms from the sea to the clouds save for one thing—that Mediterranean fruit fly.

A beginning was successfully made. In the heyday of New England whaling and of New England clipper ships cross to China in the tea trade, the Hawaiian ports became supply stops for a large commerce. Peaches, pears, apples, melons, plum, figs, oranges, fruits of both the temperate and tropical zones, were planted. They thrived for many years. Then to the Eden in some shipments from Europe, came the fruit fly. Except under glass, or with each melon or peach in a bag, none of the tender fruits can be commercially grown now. Nor tomatoes or thin-skinned vegetables. Most table fruits and vegetables are imported from California. The amazing fertility of the Hawaiian soils is therefore almost wholly devoted to crops in their nature immune—sugar cane, pineapples, and coffee.

The department of agriculture confronts a major emergency. If the Hawaiian story be repeated in California, the cost in money and retrogression are incalculable.

### VICTORY FOR SCIENCE.

Let the anopheles quadrimaculatus take warning that his days are numbered and he is marked for early and total extinction. He will soon be as dead as the dodo, going down to his grave unwep, unhonored and unsung.

The anopheles quadrimaculatus, be it understood, is a mosquito, common in the Southern United States, which is a carrier of malaria germs and has a fondness for injecting the germs in human blood.

This mosquito transmits malaria to 3,000,000 Americans in a year and causes the death of 2,000,000 persons throughout the world in a twelve-month. The nation's annual economic loss through the activities of this disease carrier is placed at \$100,000,000.

Malaria, a disease known from earliest times and to all tropical and semi-tropical countries, has been placed under control in densely populated areas in the United States through the activities of federal and local governments and the Rockefeller Foundation. But it is still ravaging sparsely settled

### ARE JUDGES ABOVE CRITICISM?

In defending the editor and the chief editorial writer of the Cleveland Press against a charge of contempt of court, Newton D. Baker, secretary of war in the Wilson administration, gave expression to a sound interpretation of the judge's place in democratic society. The following paragraph is central:

"As a matter of fact, the question of a judge's fitness to sit on the bench cannot be denied by him. It is decided by popular election; that is, in some classes of our judiciary, and in some it is decided by appointment. And if a man be a judge, and if some other man thinks he is an improper person to be a judge, the judge does not become proper by restraining the person who thinks him improper from expressing that opinion."

Mr. Baker further declared that the very idea of a court is too impersonal to permit a judge, when somebody speaks ill of him, to get angry and want vengeance.

Unfortunately, hearings on contempt of court charges are held before the tribunal which is alleged to have been offended against. This in itself tends to increase the likelihood of personal animosities and feelings being predominant.

The case involving the Cleveland journalists, which resulted in a sentence of 30 days in jail and fines of \$500, might have had a different outcome if the requisite impersonality to which Mr. Baker alluded had been obtained by means of trial before a wholly disinterested court.

### MERGERS CONTINUE.

The spectacle of electric power consolidations continues. Scarcely a week passes without some merger in one part of the country or another. Just what all this means for the people of the future none can tell definitely, but the stabbing thought is that so few persons seem to be interested.

The American people went through about the same experience to their sorrow in previous years with respect to other industries, many of them not nearly so essential to orderly living as electric power. Nothing more momentous in the influence on human life has developed for years to match the part which electricity plays and will continue to play.

No person with any wit at all can feel safe that with all the money which is being made of these consolidations, the public interest is being guarded as zealously as it should. There is economic soundness in the mass generation and distribution of power, but do enough persons, more especially the consumers, share in this economic soundness or is it confined to a small circle of insiders? Does this unceasing process of mergers mean tyrannical monopoly in the future?

These questions are pertinent. Many are asking them. The answers thus far leave much untouched. Efforts to explore the power industry are resisted. Such rates as have been reduced seemed much too high to experts. Service, while in most places better than formerly, is not perfect, but these matters are but symptoms, phases of the matter which goes deeper and reflects itself in the question of whether the public can afford to sit placidly while the revolutionary changes in an essential and overwhelming industry are taking place without being certain that viewed in the large they are good for the country.

Statistics show that the dollar is worth more now than in 1926. The smaller the bill, the bigger the purchase.

No matter what rank vegetables may attain, the cabbage is bound to get ahead.

War is possible in spite of the Kellogg Treaty and the League of Nations. The sword, it seems, has not yet surrendered to the pen.

In forecasting blue shoes for men, the stylists must be figuring on the decline of masculinity.

The present grief is always of the first magnitude.

### A NEW SLANT ON "PROSPERITY."

Commencement addresses, ordinarily, are just pious piffle, designed to please fond parents and lull youthful graduates into a state of complacency. Not so the address delivered at Brown University by Professor Zechariah Chafee, Jr., of the Harvard Law School, the text of which is printed in the current issue of The Nation.

Professor Chafee discussed "Prosperity," and the criticism which he advanced deserves to be broadcast throughout the length and breadth of this fair land.

America, it seems, needs to foster the spirit of sacrifice along three distinct lines:

1. This rich country, the richest by far in the world, should devote its "money and thought without delay or interruption to the permanent conquest of unemployment."

2. The nation should set itself "to make the physical aspects" of national life more satisfying.

3. The government should abandon present policies with references to isolation and armaments. "Enough of compromise. The way to disarm is to disarm."

Plentiful employment, better living conditions through scientific planning and a peace policy which amounts to something more than hypocritical lip service—these are national objectives meriting the thoughtful consideration of American officialdom.

Professor Chafee is entitled to full credit for dragging commencement oratory out of the realm of innocuous desuetude. His Brown address may have jolted some of our staid New Englanders, but if it did nothing more than inject a few wholesome doubts and fears into a small segment of the self-satisfied populace it served a purpose of the first magnitude.

Not having heard from the Hon. Mabel, America must reserve judgment on the Wickersham enforcement plan.

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### REDRESSING THE MALE.

It is a more than ordinarily hopeful man who undertakes to disturb the established conventions of masculine attire. The way is marked with a sad record of failure. Only one signal and important victory in the field of male dress reform has been achieved in the twentieth century—the triumph of the coat shirt over the kind that had to be climbed into.

The belt has never won a complete victory over galuses, and in recent times has lost some ground. The insurgents who discarded garters are being shamed back into line. The other youth movement, the abandonment of the hat, has reached a point beyond which further gains are unlikely.

So there is not much prospect of success in the effort of Dr. Thomas Darlington to redress the male in full-cut poplin trousers and, in lieu of coat and shirt, a Russian smock—despite the doctor's display of personal courage in wearing this get-out himself. Nor is there any great chance for the linen doublet, knickers, socks and sandals proposed by Stuart Chase.

There is everything in the world to be said for lightening the male's summer burden, and it is always said. There is probably no reason why the last extremity, a backless, legless sun suit, wouldn't serve all natural requirements, if it had enough pockets. But the more modest sex will continue to be burdened with a ten-pound load, while its complement gets by with ten ounces.

There is not the least likelihood that any radically different uniform will be adopted. And if it is, we shall not seek a place among the pioneers. We shall not even risk espousing the cause. There is something about the very subject of masculine dress reform (such is the utter complacency of the male tribe) that puts the advocate perilously close to the classification which includes the champions of an exclusive diet of raw carrots, a flat four-cornered world, and thought-wave communication with Mars.

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### COTTON FARMERS OF TEXAS URGED MAKE USE OF FARM PLAN

DALLAS, Aug. 6.—(AP)—Declaring that Texas cotton farmers should align themselves with a statewide cooperative marketing association, M. H. Wolfe of Dallas urged the annual convention of the Farmers' Marketing association of America to take full advantage of the new federal farm relief plan.

Speaking at the closing session of the convention late yesterday Mr. Wolfe declared that only two percent of the Texas cotton raisers are now members of a statewide marketing association, and that the other 98 percent are not in a position to benefit from the \$500,000,000 which backs the federal farm board.

All officers and directors of the association were reelected after a broad general plan for collecting and holding cotton had been evolved. Each participant in the plan is to leave \$2 per bale with the association to pay for handling and any residue will be deposited to the credit of the owner in a permanent fund for financing crops and marketing operations.

### Teague Received Its First Bale Monday

TEAGUE, Aug. 7.—(Sp.)—W. Woodall, living on the Stanley Gilham farm south of Teague brought in the first bale of cotton Monday. Mr. Woodall brought in the first bale last year also. This year he received 20 cents per pound for the cotton, and then the premium, which has not yet been totaled.

Another bale was also brought in the same day by C. Lampier, but shortly after the one brought in by Mr. Woodall.

### Corsicana Party Will Make Plane Trip to California

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Pedley are visiting in Corsicana and Wednesday, accompanied by Harold Nichols, will fly to California. The plane "Miss Corsicana" will be used for the trip. Mrs. Nichols, who has been summering in California, will return with her husband to Corsicana, following a two-weeks' camping trip.

Pilot Pedley announced that he would again fly a mail plane after his return from California, his route being from Dallas to Brownsville.

### HILLSBORO WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH, IS BURIED HERE

Funeral services for Mrs. Yetta Gerick, 27, wife of Joe Gerick, Hillsboro merchant, who was fatally burned at the family home on Dalton street in Hillsboro Tuesday morning, were held from the Sutherland funeral home chapel Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with burial in the Hebrew cemetery. The body was brought to Corsicana Tuesday afternoon in the Marshall & Marshall funeral coach from Hillsboro.

Neighbors were attracted by her screams and found her in the bathroom with her clothing burned and her body burned to a crisp shortly after 8 o'clock. The origin of the fire is not known as there was not any stove connections in the room. The woman was rushed to a hospital where she died at 8:45 o'clock. The house was slightly damaged. Mrs. Gerick was born in Poland. Surviving are her husband and two children, Irvin, 7, and Helen, 5.



W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D.

Mrs. Katie Carmel Stroud, Box 479, Pittsburg, Texas, whose picture appears here, writes: "In the Spring of 1927, my hands, arms and legs broke out with something and I went to see the doctor and he treated me for some time, but did not do me any good. A friend of mine told me about you and your wonderful treatment. I only took two treatments and I haven't been bothered with that sickness any more. I can eat and drink anything I want and it does not hurt me. I wish everybody could know about your wonderful treatments and know what relief they would get after taking them."

FOR FREE DIAGNOSIS AND LITERATURE WRITE: W. C. Rountree, M. D., Austin, Texas

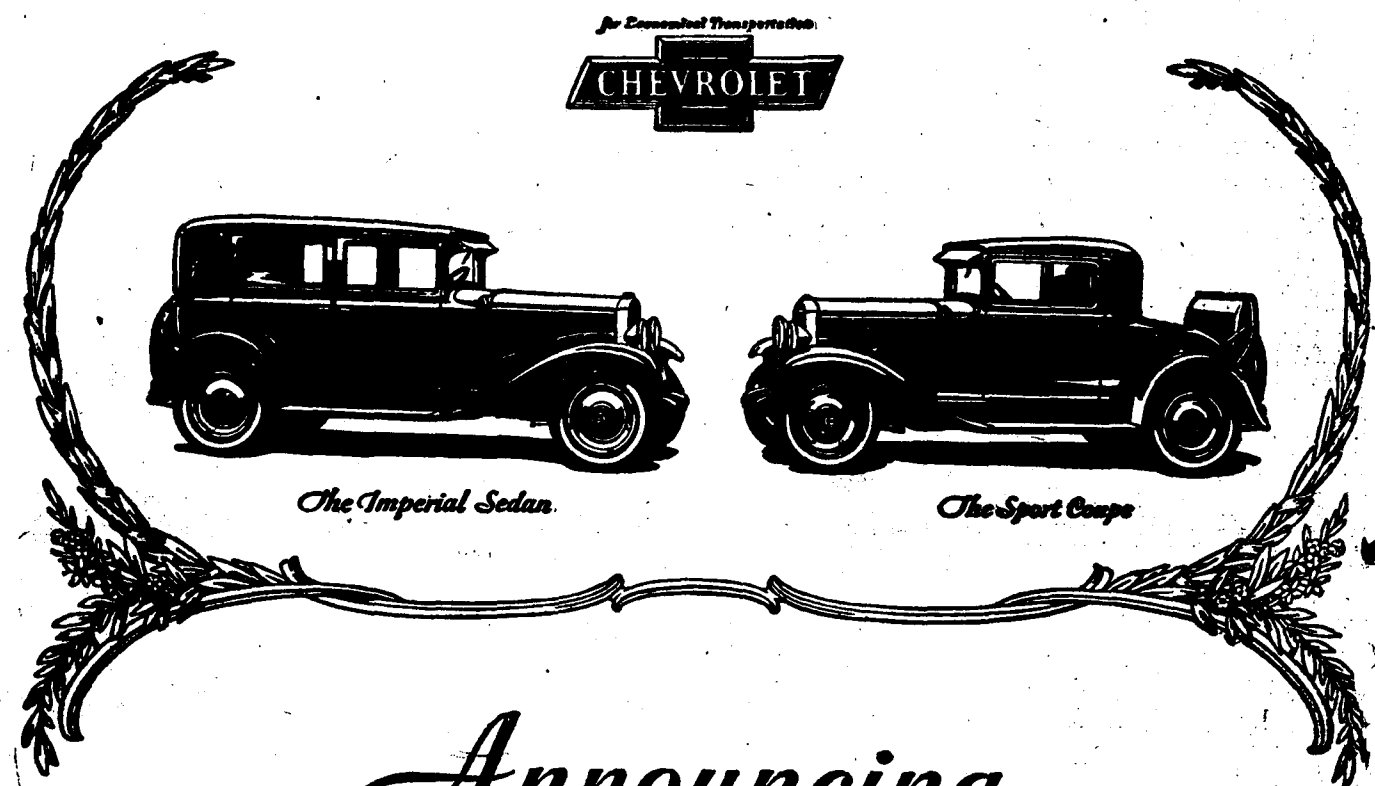


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The Roadster, \$525; The Phaeton, \$525; The Coupe, \$595; The Coach, \$595; The Sport Coupe, \$645; The Sedan, \$675; The Imperial Sedan, \$695; The Sedan Delivery, \$595; The Light Delivery Chassis, \$400; The 1½ Ton Chassis, \$545; The 1½ Ton Chassis with Cab, \$650. All prices f.o.b. factory, Flint, Mich.

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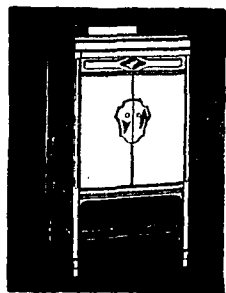
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## BIG NEW CORSICANA STORE READY GREET THOUSANDS VISITORS

EXPECT TO BECOME REAL CORSICANA ORGANIZATION SAYS MANAGER

Any army of workmen, clerks and executives were busy today, adding the final touches before Montgomery Ward & Company's big new Corsicana store opens Saturday. The building occupied by this company is located at 120-22 West Sixth avenue and was built especially to suit their needs.

"Doors of the new store will swing open Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and one of the largest crowds that has ever visited Corsicana's shopping district is expected to throng the city during the day and evening."

**Not Stranger Here**  
"Montgomery Ward merchandise is not new in this community," said I. R. Lurker, the new store manager. "Our firm has thousands of regular customers within a radius of 30 miles, and all have been invited to come to our Saturday opening. We are preparing to accommodate at least 20,000 people during the day."

The company will have about 70 salespeople and executives on duty during the opening days and will have a permanent sales force of about 35, according to Mr. Lurker. "The store will be purely a local organization," he said, "and will have all employees from the city."

"We expect to become a real Corsicana organization and we will work and strive for the welfare of this city. This store will serve to attract many thousands more people to Corsicana and will make the city a better shopping center."

**Corsican Is Center**  
Cities which are natural centers for distribution of merchandise and which are showing steady progress are being selected throughout the country by Montgomery Ward and Company for the establishment of its new chain of retail stores. The progress shown by Corsicana, which is one of these natural distribution centers, caused this nationally known mail-order house to select Corsicana for one of its largest and best equipped stores in this territory.

A preliminary trip of inspection through the store gives promise of a pleasant surprise for those who visit the new establishment during Saturday's opening. Little worlds of interest fill the store from top to bottom, consisting of many departments with their new displays.

A vast variety of merchandise will greet the customers in all departments, on the big main floor, mezzanine and second floor. All divisions of a modern department store are to be found, with plenty to select from in each section. Clerks today were busy placing goods on the long rows of counters, and decorating the store for the opening. Extra supplies will be on hand to take care of the heavy demand expected from the hour the store opens.

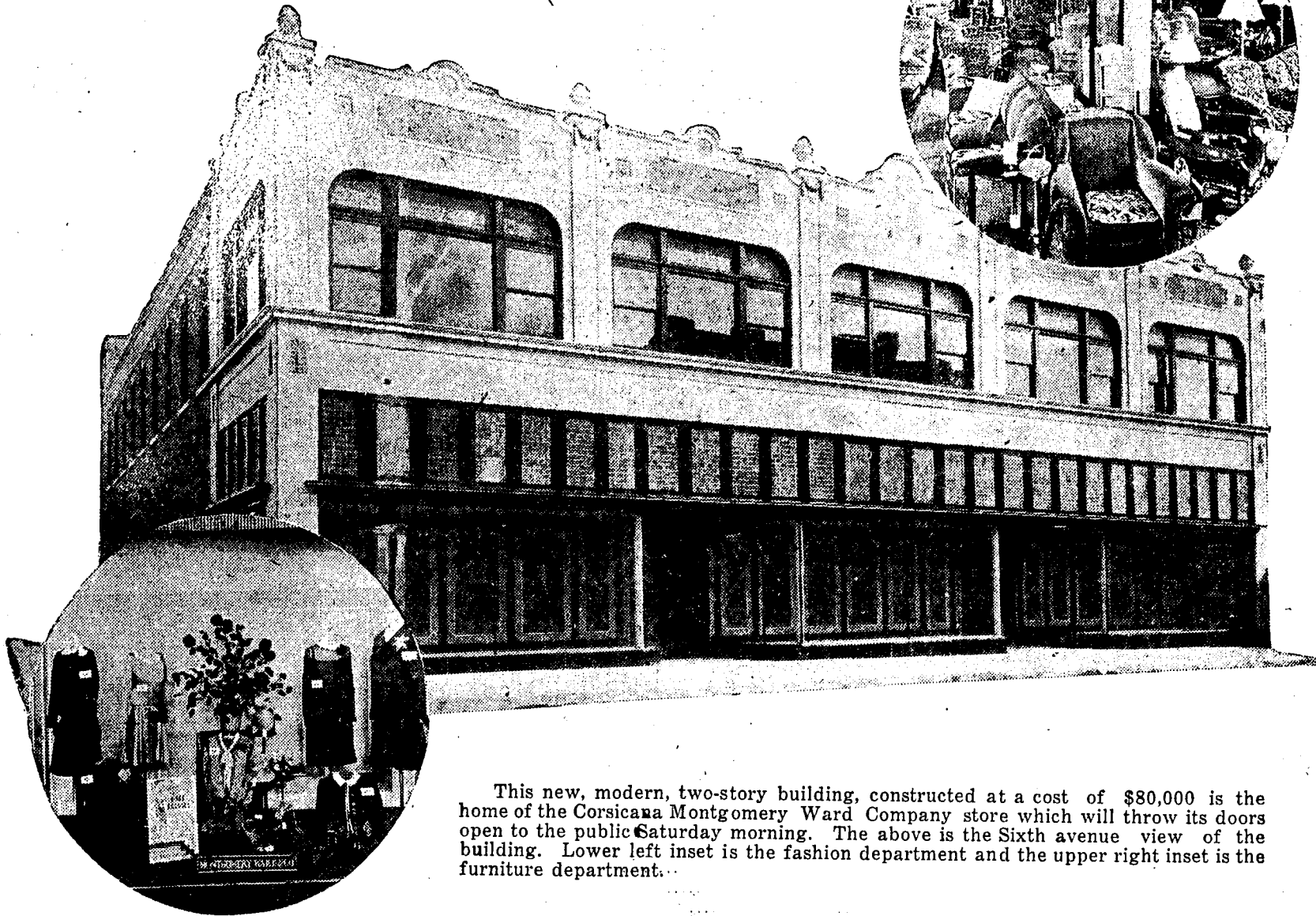
**Variety Merchandise**  
On the main floor, the store carries yard goods, jewelry, toilet articles, shoes, lingerie, hose, men and boys' clothing and furnishings, work clothing, tires, auto accessories, hardware, electrical goods, sporting goods, camping equipment and paint. On the mezzanine will be found fashions, millinery, radios and luggage. On the second floor will be furniture, rugs, coves, housefurnishings, plumbing and fastenings.

George Everett, president of Montgomery Ward and Company, explains that there is no intention to injure the small store owners. "Our experience has been," he says, "that wherever we have benefited every town has been stimulated as a trade center and the regular trading radius has been increased to 30 and 35 miles, where formerly it was only from 10 to 15 miles."

"We are selling on the chain store merchandise that is not handled in a national way by any other concern. But such a store as ours does offer an opportunity to our regular customers to actually judge the quality and value of the merchandise more accurately than is possible from a catalogue description. No attempt has been made to over-shadow local merchants."

**Program of Expansion**  
This department in merchandising by the oldest mail-order house has not developed overnight. There are more than 500 cities above 5,000 population in the United States and the company plans to locate in these communities as rapidly as possible. "As the result of careful study and research," continued President Everett, "we have reached the conclusion that there is a definite need for the type of chain stores we are operating. The present national chain stores have developed their business chiefly through the sale of groceries, drugs and 5 and 10 cent goods. We are selling in our chain merchandise that is not handled by any other concern in a national way. The principle line we are offering includes furniture, stoves, ranges, sporting goods, house furnishings, in addition to the regular dry goods line. Not all of the 35,000 catalogue items are carried in the local store, but everything sold locally in the store has been carefully selected to answer the needs of this community."

## New Concern Occupies Entire Two-Story Building Corner Sixth Ave..Main Street



This new, modern, two-story building, constructed at a cost of \$80,000 is the home of the Corsicana Montgomery Ward Company store which will throw its doors open to the public Saturday morning. The above is the Sixth avenue view of the building. Lower left inset is the fashion department and the upper right inset is the furniture department.

### Store Manager



I. R. LURKER.

I. R. Lurker, formerly of Fort Worth, is the manager of the latest Montgomery Ward store. He has been in Corsicana for several days supervising the installation of fixtures, and preparing the merchandise for the formal opening. He is a veteran in the service of the company.

### LEADING DELEGATES REPARATIONS MEET HOLD CONFERENCES

#### RHINELAND, SAAR VALLEY AND REPARATIONS DISTRIBUTION DISCUSSED

**THE HAGUE, Aug. 8.**—Philip Snowden, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, declared categorically today in the financial committee of the Hague conference to put into effect the Young plan, that Great Britain would not give way on demand for an increased share of German reparations, and that his government regarded the point as a fundamental one.

**THE HAGUE, Aug. 8.**—Leading delegates of the reparations conference today plunged into some of the important aspects of the meeting, devoting themselves to private talks on such problems as the Rhineland, the Saar valley and the distribution of reparations. The parleys began with a meeting of Foreign Minister Stresemann of Germany and Premier Briand of France in which the German and French views were compared. At the same time Philip Snowden, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, had a talk with Finance Minister Hildebrand of Germany while Premier Vanselot of Greece called by invitation on two of the chief French delegates to discuss the interests of the small creditors.

Premier Briand received Foreign Minister Zaleski of Poland immediately after the departure of Dr. Stresemann and talked over with him the question of security as likely to be affected by the conditions under which the Rhineland may be evacuated. The Poles thus far are understood to have been more insistent than the French on the nomination of a commission to control armaments on the left bank of the Rhine after evacuation. The meeting between Premier Briand and M. Zaleski was regarded as a prelude to the French premier's desire to meet the Germans half way and sought to bring the Polish foreign minister to his way of thinking.

**REQUISITION FOR WOMAN.**  
AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—Governor Moody today issued a requisition on Louisiana for Billie Rumley, wanted in Houston on a charge of robbery. She is under arrest in New Orleans.

### VICTOR L. BERGER, FAMOUS SOCIALIST LEADER IS DEAD

#### WAS SENTENCED FOR DISLOYALTY DURING WAR BUT SENTENCE REVERSED

**MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 7.**—Victor L. Berger, 69, world socialist leader, former congressman and editor of the Milwaukee Leader, died at a hospital here this afternoon from injuries received July 16 when struck by a street car.

The socialist leader died at Milwaukee hospital after a sudden relapse. For two weeks physicians had pronounced him on the way to recovery but last night his condition took a turn for the worse.

He suffered a basal fracture of the skull when struck by a street car as he was leaving his newspaper office and his condition at that time was critical. Some hours before his death members of his family were called to the hospital and remained until death. They had remained with him until several days ago when he was reported out of danger. Last night they returned as he suffered a relapse. Doctors this morning used oxygen to keep him alive.

Berger was another example of the immigrant boy leaving his mark on his generation of Americans and achieving a place of influence in his adopted land. From the time that friendly debate aroused his interest in Socialism, he became one of the most active leaders in the movement. In 1890 he took part in a struggling German Socialist newspaper, the Volkszeitung, and changed its name to the Wisconsin Vorwaerts. It had few readers and virtually no advertising, but he kept it going for years. He met Eugene V. Debs in 1893 and always declared that he made Debs a socialist.

The beginning of Berger's rise to influence was in 1900, when he started an English weekly in Milwaukee called the Social Democratic Herald. It was successful from the start and in 1911 it became a daily, the name being changed to the Milwaukee Leader. Through its editorship Berger had a powerful influence in swinging Milwaukee into the socialist column. As early as 1904 the party had begun to send members to the legislature. In 1910 it carried the city of Milwaukee. Berger was elected an alderman-at-large in April of that year, and a member of the sixty-second congress in November. He was elected again to the sixty-sixth congress in 1918.

### Assistant Manager



B. W. FRIEND

B. W. Friend is the assistant manager of the new Montgomery Ward store, and comes to Corsicana from Austin. He was originally from Wichita Falls. He has been with the company for several years.

Of the two leading public figures Berger said: "The democrats and republicans do not differ in any principle, and having no principle to stand on, naturally become corrupt. I believe there is a necessity for radical and for a conservative party in this country. I predict that, when any radical party becomes strong in national affairs, the democrats and republicans will unite, as they did in Milwaukee in local affairs. I am willing to go in with a third party in a new alignment, and I only hope such a thing will take place while I am still strong and able to work."

Victor L. Berger was born February 28, 1860, at Nieder, Austria-Hungary. He attended the gymnasiums and Universities of Budapest and Vienna and took a philosophical course, majoring in history with political economy as a side line. In later years he said this was reversed, for in his life work he majored in political economy. He came to the United States in 1878, arriving a few weeks before a daily, the name being changed to the Milwaukee Leader. Through its editorship Berger had a powerful influence in swinging Milwaukee into the socialist column. As early as 1904 the party had begun to send members to the legislature. In 1910 it carried the city of Milwaukee. Berger was elected an alderman-at-large in April of that year, and a member of the sixty-second congress in November. He was elected again to the sixty-sixth congress in 1918.

Berger was opposed to America's entry into the world war, not because he was "pro-German," he insisted, but "as a matter of principle." Nevertheless, from late in 1917 to 1921, he was barred from using the United States mails, as was his newspaper. Letters directed to him were returned with the stamp: "Mail to this address undeliverable under espionage act." He was indicted five times on charges growing out of alleged acts of disloyalty and was sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary by former judge Kenesaw M. Landis in federal court at Chicago. The house of representatives refused admission to Berger to the sixty-seventh congress, but he was reelected to the sixty-eighth congress with an increased plurality. In 1921 the supreme court of the United States reversed the sentence imposed by Judge Landis, the government quashed all other indictments, and Berger was permitted to take his seat in congress. "I have been called a boss, czar and dictator," Berger once said. "As early as 1893 a Milwaukee newspaper called for a public subscription to send me back to Germany."

Sun want ads bring results.

### KANSAS PRISON OUTBREAK COST LIVES TWO LONG-TERM CONVICTS; ANOTHER INJURED

**LANSING, Kas., Aug. 6.**—A daring break for liberty at the State penitentiary here late yesterday cost two long-term prisoners their lives and sent a third to the prison hospital with a fractured skull. One guard was injured. The dead were William Webb, 39, and Robert Collins, 30. J. B. Knight received a fractured skull in a hand to hand encounter with R. H. Hudspeth, deputy warden. W. L. Bishop, the guard, was shot in the left leg in an exchange of shots with the convicts.

Three other prisoners who made the break for freedom were captured two hours later in the Lansing stockyards less than half a mile from the prison. The break occurred at 4 p. m. when the men were brought out of the prison coal mine. The first of approximately 400 convicts to reach the surface, they produced pistols that presumably had been smuggled in to them and captured four unarmed guards and four other prisoners whom they used as a shield against bullets to gain a gate in the prison wall. The convicts forced the gate and emerged in the open to be met with a fusillade of shots from a sentry on the outside guard line.

Using the guards and prisoners as a shield they passed the sentry post and gained the shelter of a small ravine a quarter of a mile from the prison, released their prisoners. Meantime an alarm had been sounded at the prison and Deputy Warden Hudspeth and Assistant Day Captain Arthur Graham organized the prison guards for pursuit.

Hudspeth, Graham and several Lansing merchants armed with shotguns came upon the convict party on the Leavenworth-Victory Junction highway a half mile north of Lansing, and hot it out.

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### MONTGOMERY WARD PAYS POSTAGE AND FREIGHT ON GOODS

SAVING OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS A YEAR FOR THE PUBLIC

One of the most revolutionary developments in the field of commerce is seen in the announcement that Montgomery Ward & Company, the big merchandising and chain store organization, will pay all postage and freight costs on merchandise sold, without any increase in catalogue prices. "It is estimated," says Mr. Lurker, manager of the local Montgomery Ward & Co. store, "that this radical departure will result in a saving of millions of dollars a year to the public, which heretofore has borne transportation costs on all orders."

"Where transportation costs have been added to the catalogue price of merchandise in our store this charge will be deducted and the price correspondingly reduced."

The concession is made possible by complete development of distributing facilities offered by Montgomery Ward & Co. through its expanding system of distributing headquarters, warehouses, factories, large department stores in the metropolitan cities and stores in the smaller cities. Montgomery Ward & Co. maintains nine central distributing plants — in Chicago, Kansas City, St. Paul, Baltimore, Albany, Denver, Portland, Ore., Oakland, Calif., and Fort Worth, Texas, with warehouses in Boise, Idaho; Birmingham, Ala.; Charlotte, N. C.; Columbus, Ohio; Evansville, Ind.; Houston, Texas; Spokane, Wash.; Los Angeles, Detroit, Fort Madison, Ind., and Omaha City, Okla. Twenty-two large department stores have already been opened in larger cities and chain stores have been established in nearly 400 of the smaller cities throughout the nation.

"Our general plan of handling and distributing merchandise," said Mr. Lurker, "makes it possible for us to assume transportation costs which heretofore have been paid by the public. We now have the most complete and comprehensive plan of merchandise distribution warehouses, and shipments reach our customers in very short time after orders are received. We also ship heavy merchandise direct from a great many factories located in strategic points throughout the United States."

"Retail prices in all of our 400 department and chain stores are the same as our catalogue prices, since we absorb transportation costs from our warehouses to our stores. Our customers may order from the current general catalogue or Sale Book without any increase in prices and with all the transportation charges paid by us. We are well on our way to our goal of 1,000 chain stores in communities of 5,000 population or more throughout the nation, and as expansion of the system proceeds our general facilities will be increased. We are opening

stores as rapidly as suitable locations can be found, and we strive to keep our general lines of merchandise up to the minute."

The postage and freight free policy is applied to every general catalogue item of merchandise handled by Montgomery Ward & Co., and there are more than 40,000 articles listed in the company's catalogue.

This new policy, because of the saving in money and added convenience of ordering, is expected to greatly increase the sales of Montgomery Ward & Co., which in 1928 will approximate \$300,000,000.

A. B. Thompson of the Musk Hills community visited in the city Tuesday afternoon.

### Shipping Provisions New Gasoline Tax Law Be Explained

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—Provisions of the new gasoline tax law requiring reports to be made by all common carriers on gasoline shipped into Texas, will be explained to the railroads at a meeting in Galveston tomorrow.

Attorney General Claude Folard, assistant Attorney General Rice M. Tilley and L. G. Yarbrough, assistant to the comptroller, will attend the meeting.

This provision of the law will give the comptroller a complete check on every gallon of gasoline brought into Texas by every railroad, pipe line, truck and other common carrier, so that persons will not be able to evade the payment of the tax as they have heretofore done, Tilley said.

### LIGHTNING KILLS TWO IN MISSOURI TOWN ON TUESDAY

**SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 7.**—Two dead, one dangerously injured and fifty workmen momentarily stunned was the toll of an electrical storm north of Osceola yesterday.

Miss Mildred Blanchard was killed when lightning struck her home near Deepwater. Other members of the family were uninjured.

Paul Maloy, of Vista, was killed and 50 workmen were stunned when lightning hit a camp of oil pipe line workers ten miles from Deepwater. One of the injured was removed to a hospital.

### Groesbeck Has New Social Organization

**GROESBECK, Aug. 8.**—(Sp.)—"The Mothers' Twentieth Century Culture Club" is the name of the latest social and literary organization of Groesbeck women. Mrs. Paul Humble was elected president at the organization meeting. Mrs. Oran Wroe, vice president; Mrs. Bob Steen, secretary; Mrs. Jack Welch, treasurer, and Mrs. Willard Brown, reporter. Mrs. Harry Humble is musical director.

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Honey With Comb, 10 lb. bkt. . . . . \$1.25

Bulk Lard, 2 lbs. . . . . 25c

Cane Sugar, 17 lbs. . . . . \$1.00

Dry Salt Bacon, lb. . . . . 20c

American Beauty Flour, 48 lb. bag . . . \$1.65

Brer Rabbit Syrup, 10 lb. bkt. . . . . 70c

Coffee, Pure Peaberry, 3 lbs. . . . . \$1.00

Perfection, Country Gentleman Corn, Large Can . . . . . 15c

Milk, Eagle brand . . . . . 19c

Union Standard Chewing Tobacco, 2 cuts . . . . . 25c

Granger Rough Cut Smoking Tobacco, 3 packages . . . . . 25c

8 oz. Cotton Sack Duck, yard . . . . . 17c

Hay Wire, 16 ga. . . . . 90c

Automobile Tubes, 30x3 1/2 . . . . . 95c

Silver King Washboards . . . . . 40c

Salmon, good grade, 12 cans . . . . . \$1.90

Baking Powder, 5 lbs. Calumet . . . . . 90c



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Very Attractive,  
New Colors—  
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The very latest in rayon un-  
dies. Step-in and brassiere  
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range of pastel shades. Other  
values in silk. Price \$2.18.

Rayon Bloomers

Best Quality,  
Choice of Colors—  
98c  
Pretty, as well as serviceable,  
in a large selection of colors.  
Front yoke to prevent bulg-  
ing. Elastic at waist and  
knees. Sizes 19, 21, 23-inch  
length.

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Daintily Tailored \$1.98  
Very Chic—  
Made of lovely quality silk  
crepe-de-chine in a wide var-  
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Lace trimmed. All sizes. Other  
values at \$2.98 and \$3.98.

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Styles—  
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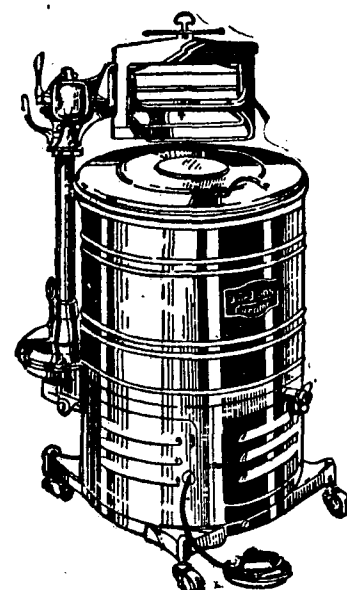
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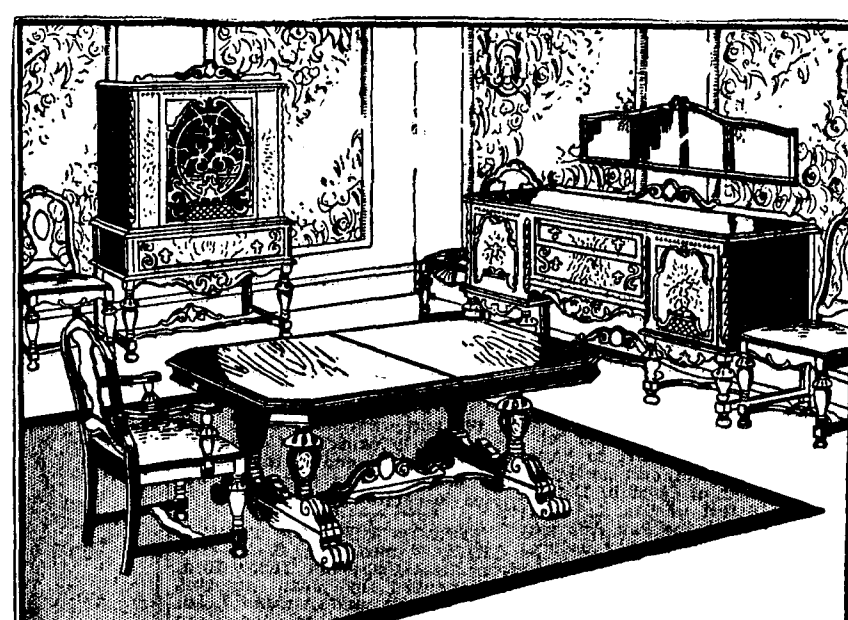
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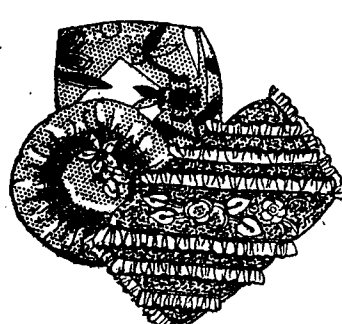
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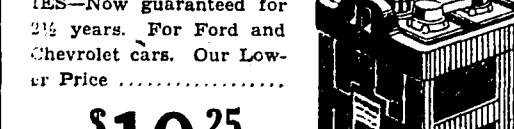
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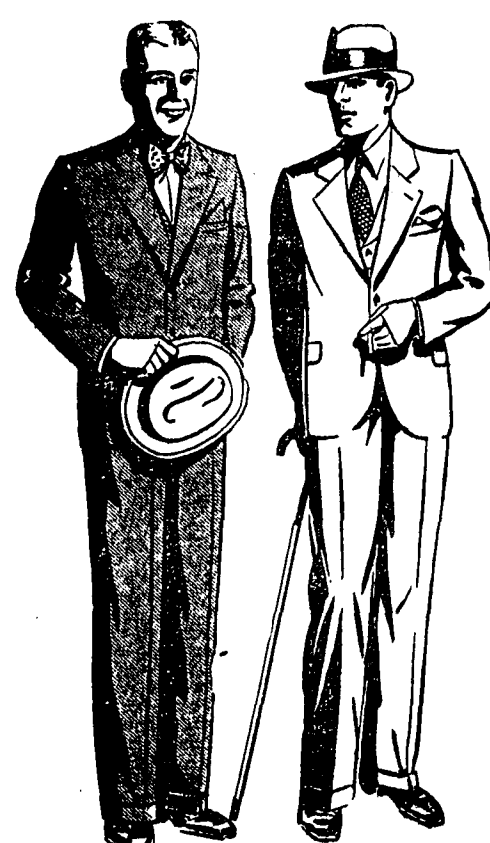
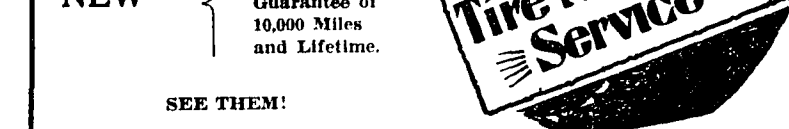
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## Tale of Daniel and Lions Has Many Modern Meanings

Political Intrigue Thwarted By One Man's Courageous Consistency — Bed-Rock of Religion is Conviction That There is a God who Cares For Those who Trust Him.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS

By the ponderous movements of the machinery of international history one man is sometimes brought to his hour. Thus Daniel, the seer of Babylon, because the statesman of Persia, ranking next to the king in authority. What if it should appear, a century hence, that the greatest single result of the world war had been to erect President Wilson into a world figure, in order that his old fashioned Christian idealism, with its doctrines of justice, liberty, independence and peace, might become paramount in the life of the nations? People as a whole know little of the changes in ancient politics which made Persia master of the world; but all of Jewry and Christendom have been nourished on the example of Daniel, the wise president who by his loyalty to God proved to be super-statesmanship.

Mr. Spurgeon used to tell of a printer's error, which changed the word "spirit" to "spine," so that the record read "an excellent spine in Daniel." That was an unintentional getting at the very root of the matter. Daniel's backbone is central to all the stories about him. We do not read of his soul-searching, but only of his unshakable steadfastness which is popularly associated with moral vertebrae. Daniel's calm continuance in the course which he believed to be right—this is the central theme of this hero-history. The first half of the Book of Daniel, with its vivid pictorial style, is the record of a man whose life was one long preaching against spinelessness.

Trapping a True Man  
Motion pictures have no monopoly of plots and intrigue. Real life has always known them. From "office politics" to political "double-crossing" this old game of conspiracy has been played throughout the ages, usually the second-rate comingling secure the downfall of the first-rate, as was the case in Daniel's experience. Under the Persian king, Daniel had been made one of three presidents of the Persian nation, exercising rule over one hundred and twenty satraps. His associates were ambitious and jealous—the whole story mirrors oriental government. In vain they sought to trip up Daniel in his work, in his accounts, in his conduct. But his integrity proved a perfect armor. Ah, if youth could realize how priceless a clean life will prove, in all the years to come!

All of the secret conferences of the conspirators were of no avail until it was shrewdly decided to try to trap Daniel through his religion. True, Persia afforded tolerance. Still, if the plotters were willing to take a chance by possibly compromising the king himself, they thought they might win. Thus they hit upon the seemingly obscure and unflattering device of proposing a thirty-day period wherein nobody but the king himself should be worshipped. Even great Darius was not above the reach of such synchancy. And they knew Daniel well enough to be sure that nothing on earth could alter his practice of daily devotion to Jehovah. So the fateful decree was signed, and became the irrevocable Medo-Persian law, which was greater than the king who made it.

"As Was His Wont"  
All set for springing was this clever trap. Watchers reported Daniel at prayer three times a day, with his windows open toward Jerusalem. That was his habit and his duty. It is great to crystallize convictions into conventions, and to have a manner of life that does not have to be continually revised. Some minds are rudderless and anchorless. But Daniel's religion was so ingrained with the everydayness of his living that it did not have to be argued about. Lions or no lions affected him not. It was his wont to pray; so pray he did.

Daniel was at this time an old man. In his youth he had proved his loyalty to Jehovah. Across the years he had been doing the same: so why change now, for the mere matter of dying? This matter-of-fact continuance in Daniel's lifelong fidelity recalls the case of Polycarp, the disciple of John the Beloved. Doomed to martyrdom by

Roman decree, his friends, and even the Romans, entreated him to make some concession to the law, but his reply was that for four score years he had served his Lord and King, who had always been true to him; so why should he desert him now? They burned Polycarp at the stake in the Smyrna stadium and buried him close by. His tomb is today a landmark for all travelers entering Smyrna harbor.

Loyalty itself is a habit. The man whose life custom is total abstinence does not change simply because he has become an ambassador, and moves in circles where drinking is fashionable. The youth who has never learned to play cards is not tempted by gambling. Clean minds do not fall easily into the pit of sensuality. When habit is the result of conviction it becomes a defense. There is such a thing as being armored in innocence. Daniel the aged was the natural development of Daniel the youth.

Religion has few better proofs to offer the world than saintly old men and women, with purity and peace written on their faces. A certain famous criminal lawyer in America is a vociferous atheist; but one glance at his unhappy, hopeless face is a sufficient argument against his creed. "Without God, and without hope in the world," is the instinctive comment of one looking upon this miserable man. Righteousness bears its fruit in old age as it did with Daniel.

God's Man and God's Lions  
Short-lived was the jubilation of the conspirators who had caught Daniel in their clever device. For the king was openly displeased. He saw through the trick and was angrier that it involved him in action against the best man in the kingdom. He himself could not change the law, but could only suffer under it. What his thoughts were concerning the schemers whose tool he had become was revealed later. Really, the trappers were trapped, along with their victim. Subtlety is often defeated by straight-forwardness, as the Orient continually sees in its dealings with the Anglo-Saxon. There is no diplomacy like sincerity. The world is rapidly discrediting the old fashions of intrigue and double-dealing between nations.

Nevertheless, to the lions Daniel had to go, however much the decree wrunged the king's heart. Vividly the record pictures the sleepless night in the royal chamber, with all the usual beguilements barred. How could the king sleep when his highest and most

## Wisconsin Senate Refuses Enter State Into Liquor Business

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 6.—(P)—A proposal to put Wisconsin into the business of manufacturing and selling liquor was defeated in the senate today. The measure, by Senator Ben Gettleman of Milwaukee, would have amended the state constitution which prohibits the commonwealth from entering private business. Gettleman contends the 18th amendment would not apply to a state distillery.

honored official, a true man, was in the den of famished lions? The only hope of Darius was that the wonderful God of Daniel might deliver him from the fire beasts. That is what he had hoped, God's man had been thrown to the lions. The Ruler of all nature seems to delight to exercise His sovereign power to protect and provide for human beings who trust Him. He shut the mouths of the lions and Daniel spent a quiet night, in sharp contrast to the king's experience. Perhaps, as Moody used to say, he chose the biggest lion for a pillow, and lay down to dreamless sleep. When the anxious king came at dawn to discover whether his hopes or his fears had been fulfilled, he got a cheery reply from his trusted statesman.

Into the lions' den, where there were now no closed mouths, were thrust the whole crew of wicked conspirators; and a royal decree, honoring Daniel's God was sent throughout the land.

Religion at Rock Bottom.  
On the surface of the story lies its major message. God does care for His own, even in uttermost extremity. "He keepeth the feet of His saints." Our times are in His hands. "Casting all your care upon Him, for He careth for you." That is the basic platform of our faith. Any creed which does not carry the comforting truth of Divine providence is meaningless for real life. The human soul wants a God who succors in distress. Otherwise the lions of life are too much for us.

Daniel's Deliverer got great honor out of the trial of His disciple. "Is thy God able to deliver thee from the lions?" the king's question, is really the unformulated inquiry of every seeking soul. Man wants a god who has made good. That is why the Bible is forever pointing backward to Jehovah's dealings with Moses and with the Children of Israel. The apostolic sermons sounded his note strongly. The God who cares for His own is the God whom we want for ourselves and for our children. Life's chief problem is solved when we learn that all the lions of adversity are under the control of our God and Friend. Daniel's bequest to posterity is the simple old word, "Have faith in God."

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## Woman Fatally Burned In Home In Unknown Way

KILLEEN, Aug. 7.—(P)—The manner in which Mrs. John Blair was burned to death in her home here remained unknown today. Mrs. Blair's daughter returned to the house yesterday to find her mother, scarred by fire, on the floor. The mother died later in the day, presumably without being able to tell how the mishap occurred.

standing your ground in spite of fear.—Henry Churchill King.

Good cheer pre-announces his examinations; what you are flashed out when you do not know anyone is watching you.—G. Campbell Morgan.

Work for some good, be it ever so lowly;  
Work for some hope, be it ever so slowly;  
Work! for all labour is noble and holy. —Newman Hall—

Procure not friends in haste, and when thou hast a friend, part not with him in haste.—Solon.

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, and the truth, and the life: no one cometh unto the Father but by Me.—John 14:6.

Since hunger is, bread needs must be.  
Man begs from West to East, And starved on human charity Looks for celestial feast. —Katherine Lee Bates.

Humble life is a mission, of which the aim is service, the law sacrifice, the strength fellowship with God.—Bishop Westcott.

"The International Sunday School Lesson for August 11 is "Daniel Among the Lions"—Daniel 6:1-23.

Sum Want Ads Bring Buyers.

## HILLSBORO WOMAN DIES FROM BURNS RECEIVED IN HOME

HILLSBORO, Aug. 6.—(P)—Mrs. Joe Gerrick, wife of a Hillsboro merchant, died here today of burns sustained in a fire at her home. City employees seeing smoke issuing from the rear of the Gerrick home rushed in and found the woman standing in a bathtub with her clothing afire. A blanket was thrown around her and she was taken to a hospital, but died a few minutes later.

Little damage was done to the house by the flames, the origin of which had not been determined.

## Houston Scene of Suicide Two Women 24 Hours

HOUSTON, Aug. 6.—(P)—While funeral services were being arranged today for Mrs. C. O'Meara, 32, of Houston, who died of a pistol shot wound last night, Mrs. J. R. Hester, 44, of Ennis was found dead at the rear of her brother's home in Kensington addition here.

Mrs. Hester left a note bidding her relatives good-bye. Justice Campbell Overstreet said poison caused her death.

A verdict of suicide was returned in Mrs. O'Meara's death. Several days ago she received considerable publicity when she was the bride in an airplane wedding over Lake Charles, La. A short time later Mrs. O'Meara had the marriage annulled.

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## ANNUAL PICNIC OF WORKERS COUNCIL BE HELD AUG. 13

The annual picnic of the Workers' Council of the First Methodist Sunday school will be held next Tuesday night, Aug. 13, probably at the Lake View Country club. The picnic will be for all officers, teachers and workers in the Sunday school and their families, and will be given as a compliment to F. P. McElwath, general Sunday school superintendent.

The picnicers will gather at 6:30 at the selected spot and games and other forms of amusement will follow the feast. Mrs. R. B. Mitchell and Miss Mable Whyte will have charge of the entertainment features and Boyce Martin was appointed to select the location. Van W. Harrell will look after the lemonade and ice water.

The outline for the picnic was made at the regular monthly meeting of the Workers' Council Monday night in the educational building. Other matters of interest to the Sunday school were discussed and it was announced that Prof. W. H. Norwood, who has recently returned from Chicago, would teach the Brotherhood Class Sunday. Short talks were made by Rev. F. P. Culver, F. P. McElwath and others. Attendance during the summer months at Sunday school was very pleasing to the officers and teachers.

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It is a guiding principle of this store to have everything we sell as near authentic and correct in every style detail as is possible to achieve. And this could not be possible unless the Cox organization was capable of correct choosing.

This is how it works. Cox's maintains affiliation with a bureau of fashion specialists in New York. These people KNOW fashions, and the source of fashions. They buy for us and for you. And they assist Cox's own buyers.

And so a \$15.00 dress at Cox's has as much style as the highest priced one in stock!

## Get ready for Fall--Now

Cox's buyers have just returned from New York—five of them. And with their return begins the arrival of new goods on almost every express. Lovely things that you'll enjoy seeing as much as we do. They're priced right; as you well know. But more than that, they're STYLE RIGHT!

Come in any day now, we're prepared to prove to you that you can afford to be in style if your clothes come from Cox's.

# On Account of My Health We Are Selling Our Groceries to Our Friends at a Real Bargain

To show our appreciation in a small way for the wonderful patronage you have given us during the near five years we have been in your midst.

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|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 3 lb. can Maxwell H. Coffee \$1.38 | 10 lb. can Calumet Bak. Pow. \$1.30   |
| 3 lb. can White Swan Coffee \$1.79 | 2 boxes Aunt Jem. Flour .... 23c      |
| 3 lbs. Wapco Coffee ..... \$1.49   | 1 lb. Hershey's Cocoa ..... 28c       |
| 1 doz. Campbell Pork and B. \$1.12 | 14-oz. Van Camp Catsup ..... 15c      |
| 1 doz. No. 2 cans Tomatoes \$1.35  | 2 lb. can Red Pitted Cherries .23c    |
| 1 doz. No. 2 Fame Corn .... \$1.50 | 2 boxes Mortons Salt ..... 19c        |
| Tall Carnation Milk, per can 10c   | 2 cans Diamond C. Salt ..... 15c      |
| Baby Carnation Milk, per can 5c    | Dr. Price's Extract ..... 23c         |
| 3, 10c Boxes Garrett Snuff ... 25c | 8-lb. pail of Shortening ..... \$1.09 |
| 25c bars of P and G or             | 1 qt. Marco Mustard ..... 15c         |
| Crystal White Soap ..... 99c       | 1 bottle Certo ..... 25c              |
| All kinds Campbell's Soups         | French's Bird Seed ..... 12c          |
| 3 cans for only ..... 25c          | Eagle Brand Milk, can ..... 20c       |
| 1 lb. Calumet Baking Pow. ... 25c  | 12-oz. can Royall Bak. Pow. .39c      |
| 25-oz. KC Baking Powder ... 19c    | Baby Ruth Candy, 3 for ..... 10c      |

THANKS!

# Bob Miller Grocery

## R. E. Cox Dry Goods Co

THE HOUSE OF BETTER VALUES

Waco, Stephenville, Marlin—Now Corsicana.

### SICK AT HIS STOMACH

"I WAS suffering from stomach trouble in 1917," says Mr. C. K. Nelson, a railroad engineer living in Pulaski, Va. "I had a tightness in my chest, a shortness of breath. There seemed to be a heavy weight in the pit of my stomach, and quite a bit of nausea, yet I couldn't vomit. I tried different remedies, but I suffered on just the same. When in West Virginia on a work train, I was in such a condition that I just gave up and came home. I could not stand to work, in my condition. So I read me about Black-Draught. I started taking it in small doses after meals. It helped me, and I went back to work."



**Black-Draught**  
CONSTIPATION  
BILIOUSNESS  
WOMEN who need tonic should take Black-Draught.



# Interesting News From Navarro County Towns

## FROST

FROST, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Mmes. S. E. Gaines and Ethel Cole spent last Tuesday in Dallas attending the style show.

Mrs. J. Beck and Pecos was the guest of his mother, J. C. Beck Wednesday.

Sam Gerber left Saturday for St. Louis and Chicago where he will buy goods for his stores.

Mmes. Rufe and Earl Bruner and Roy Searey were in Hillsboro Friday.

Mrs. Leo Chamberlain and little daughter returned to their home in Dallas Friday after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jones. They were accompanied home by Miss Beatrice Jones for a week's visit.

Mrs. G. L. Haley and little daughter, Patty Lo, spent the week-end in Mertens with her mother who was sick.

Mrs. J. M. Tullos of Corsicana was the guest Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tullos.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Allen and son, Joe, were Waco visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Searey and daughter, Mrs. Fred Grimes, Jr., and Mrs. Jim Scott, spent last Thursday in Waco.

Little Miss Joan Germany is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. S. L. Germany visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Keitt of Hubbard last week.

Mrs. George Smith, who has been sick since January is able to be out among her many friends.

Sunday afternoon, Miss Annie Le Young of this place and Mr. Orvil Caskey of Dallas, were married in Dallas. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vann Young. She is a graduate of the Frost high school and also attended college at Canyon City, Mr. Caskey have a number of friends who wish them joy and happiness in this new life. They will make their home in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Means and daughter, Mrs. Roy Akin, Jr., of Mexico, left Monday in their car for Virginia and Tennessee. They will be gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Blake returned last Thursday from Galveston, where they spent a few days of their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sanders were Corsicana visitors Friday.

Jim Payne Langford of Waxahachie is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Langford.

Mrs. Ernest Smith of Burk Burnett was the weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mims, and sister, Mrs. J. M. Beene.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shands and children of Mesquite were weekend guests of Mrs. Shands' sister, Mrs. Fred McWhorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gray of Corsicana visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Johnnie Summers of Colorado, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Summers, Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Beck, Mrs. Emily Spenser, and daughter, Miss Johnnie, spent Friday in Corsicana.

Rod Bason of Las Cruces, N. M., is here for a few days' visit.

Mrs. George Spencer and son, George of Dallas were guests Sunday of relatives.

Mrs. Molly Spencer and daughter, Mrs. Henry Mitchell and Miss Johnnie, visited relatives in Corsicana last Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Sheppard of Kerens is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith, Mrs. Dick Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, motored to Mt. Calm and Waco, Sunday. Mrs. Jerry Smith remained in Waco for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Irving Chunn.

Miss Laurence Powers is in the sanitarium at Waco, where she has undergone an operation. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore and little daughter of Oklahoma were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Slay and children, Frankie, Lucille and John, Jr., left Sunday for a visit to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mims and son, Knox, and grandson, Max Beene, left Tuesday for Quanah, to visit relatives.

The W. F. C. class of the Methodist Sunday school had a picnic Tuesday afternoon at the tabernacle. Each member was entitled to a guest. Various games were

## RICHLAND

RICHLAND, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Tim McGaugha and family have been visiting in West Texas. Their sister-in-law, Mrs. Lee McGaugha, returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Roy Moore and wife moved to the oil field last week.

Mrs. Van Elkins and son, Van, Jr., visited her sister, Mrs. Arthur Edwards in Coolee for a day and night last week.

Last week was moving week in Richland. Mr. and Mrs. Pennington are moving to Houston, Lee Farmer moved into the Grandpa McCrary home, and J. W. Cunningham moved on the East side in the Womack home. The Lone Star Gas Co. has bought the Pennington home. The foreman will move there as soon as the building is remodeled. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Elkins moved back from Mexico last week to their home in Richland.

Mrs. Warren Young and son, Dick, returned Friday from San Antonio where they have been visiting relatives the past week. Mr. Chism and family returned last week from Arkansas. Mr. Chism's parents returned home with them for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Geo. Barland of East Texas, is spending a couple of weeks in Richland with relatives.

W. F. Tucker and family left Thursday for Harlingen, to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floy Visler. Mrs. McCord accompanied them part of the way where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Bell and family.

Max Griffen was operated in Corsicana Friday afternoon for appendicitis.

Georgia Moore carried her little sister to Corsicana one day last week, and had her tonsils removed.

Lillian Richardson entertained the young folks Saturday night with a party.

Miss Etyle Cunningham spent last week in Ennis with her friend Mrs. W. F. Fyfe.

Richland's ballteam played Pinkston team at Pinkston Monday afternoon, the game was 6 to 28 in favor of Richland.

Mr. McClelland and family of Pecos are here visiting his son, Jack McClelland, and family.

Little Margie Maddox is in a very serious condition in a hospital in Corsicana.

Alma Ballard and sister and J. T. Griffin and sister were guests of May McBride last week.

Misses Fay Ballard, Pauline DeRose of Currie were the guests of Miss Fay McBride Tuesday.

George Meiton and family spent Sunday in Dallas.

Mrs. Dr. Brown and daughter motored to Powell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Van Loon of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Harris.

Mrs. Amanda Taylor and children, Ruby Fay and John, of Dale, spent several days with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Powell and sister, Mrs. Robert Berry and Miss Rachel played, and lots of fun enjoyed from the blind sale. A nice little sum was realized.

Miss Hazel Nell Brown and little sister, Betty Jo, returned to their home in Corsicana Tuesday, having enjoyed a visit with Miss Lela Faye Hightower and other relatives.

Mrs. Audie Tanner of Corsicana was the guest Tuesday of Mrs. Rufe Bruner.

E. O. McCord of Wichita Falls, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents.

Mrs. Lela McGaugha of Abernathy is visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Bromley.

## POWELL

POWELL, Aug. 7.—(Spl)—N. M. Melton and daughter, Miss Alma, motored to Gilmer Friday, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Austin and children spent Sunday in Roane in the home of Mr. Austin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Austin.

Sam Rowe of Kerens was a business visitor here Monday.

Ed Holmes of Corsicana attended to business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lonon and daughter, Lillie, accompanied by Miss Lavinia Thomason, spent the week-end in Kemp.

Hollis Austin of Corsicana was here Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Austin.

Mrs. Bill Johnson of Corsicana visited relatives Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brogan of Tyler, who spent their vacation in Mineral Wells, stopped here en route to Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Adams.

Mr. Lively returned home from Mt. Vernon Monday, where he visited his father, who is quite sick.

Mrs. Lela McGaugha and Fitz Kenner were Kerens visitors Thursday.

Misses Margaret Ivey of Kerens and Lorraine Pugh of Corsicana spent last week with Miss Helen Killingsworth.

Mrs. Maola Washam of DeArmon was a visitor here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Ware and children, Miss Virgie Mae and E. V. have returned home from several weeks' visit in Ruston, La.

Miss Etta Mae Christian is home after a visit in Jacksonville in the home of relatives.

Miss Virginia Smith spent Monday in Corsicana with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Conner.

Mrs. Williamson of Corsicana was the guest of Mrs. Homer Ware Tuesday.

Miss Tennie Green of Jacksonville will be here several days visiting Miss Etta Mae Christian.

Mrs. H. P. Whitford of Temple, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson, left Saturday for Fairfield where she will spend several days before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Towns spent Saturday and Sunday at Athens. Fish and Game club, near Athens. Mrs. Sallie Strange is in Trinidad with her son, Grady Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thomason of Corsicana are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Dock Lonon and son.

Misses Margaret Ivey of Kerens and Lorraine Pugh of Corsicana, Helen Killingsworth and Bess Johnston attended the offering at the Palace Theatre Sunday.

Tom Ferguson attended to business in Kerens Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Loyd Melton entertained last Thursday at her home, honoring Mr. Eather Washam with a miscellaneous shower. The shower came as a distinct surprise to Mrs. Washam when she was ushered into a room and presented the gifts. Lovely homemade cake and ice cream was served the guests.

## EMHOUSE

EMHOUSE, Aug. 8.—(Spl)—The Methodist Protestant meeting continues this week in full force. There have been several conversions this week and a great deal of interest manifested by others.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and little daughter, Bobbie Jean of Amarillo, came in Sunday to visit relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sharpley of Beaumont are spending a few days with the former's father, J. W. Sharpley.

Miss Mary Kate Hook of Corsicana spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Elkins and children and Alvin Owen left Sunday morning by auto for a several days' visit to their brother and family at Frisco, their sister Mrs. Swint Huling of Oklahoma City, and their cousin, Hartsell Elkins, of Hammond, Okla.

J. E. Collins, Tom Tinkle, C. O. Williams, and Jim McManis went fishing on Cedar creek Monday night and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Melton and family will leave this week for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. G. O. Owen and Miss Clara Belle Owen visited their daughter and sister, Miss Nancy Owen Sunday afternoon. Friends here will be glad to learn that she is able to be at home at her apartment and will come home in a few days.

Mrs. Garlington of Ballinger spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Stokes.

Reuben Moody is still confined to his bed with injuries received Sunday morning in an automobile accident. Clarence, Wallace and Ralph Brown were also hurt in the wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Collins and son, Clayton, left Sunday for Quanah. They were accompanied by C. B. Farmer. Mr. Collins and Mr. Farmer will paint Mr. Collins' house while they are there. Mrs. Collins and Clayton will visit relatives.

Grandpa Maggard continues quite ill this week.

Miss Margaret Dill of Roane was an Emhouse visitor Thursday. Miss Dill will teach the Spanish in our high school this coming term.

Miss Carrie Immon of Kerens was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. Robert Bristow. Mr. and Mrs. Bristow are in Providence this week where he is leading the singing in the Baptist meeting. Word has been received that they are having a wonderful meeting and are having a most enjoyable time.

## BLOOMING GROVE

BLOOMING GROVE, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Rev. and Mrs. Walter Griffith of Corsicana were Sunday guests of Miss Nell Bingham.

Misses Fay Quinby and Nell Bingham were in Corsicana Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Hensley and son returned to their home in Brownwood, Sunday, after a visit here to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Pierson.

Miss Floy Dennis Pierson left Tuesday for a visit to Wichita Falls.

Miss Edda Jones had as her guest last week, Miss Ruby Erwin from Itasca.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eastus and daughter, Bettie Jean, were here from Dallas Sunday.

Miss Pattie Mae Harris left Wednesday for a visit to Terrell.

Roy Carroll was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

Miss Adelaide Robinson returned from a visit to Corsicana Tuesday.

Rex Melton and Marshall Masengale were here from Corsicana Saturday.

R. E. Frederick was here from Corsicana Saturday.

J. R. Griffin was in Shreveport, La. on business Monday.

Lloyd Tipton is here from Big Springs spending his vacation.

Mrs. Russell Corbin and children are here this week from Dallas.

Miss Mary Richards is spending this week in Athens.

Mrs. Mattie Ramsey had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elder of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cole and daughter, Jennette, were here from Teague, Saturday.

G. O. Owen and Miss Clara Belle Owen were here for the week-end. Ben Allen was here from Tulsa, Okla., Sunday to see his mother.

V. D. Burns was in Shreveport, La. Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Woodard and daughter, Martha, were here from Hillsboro Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Wharton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Perry Leverett of Hillsboro, left Monday for a visit to Big Springs and other West Texas towns.

Mrs. J. D. McClanahan and daughter, Helen, returned Saturday from a visit to Hillsboro.

H. H. Weatherby spent Saturday and Sunday in Hillsboro with his mother.

Miss Mary Youngblood of Tyler is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bruce McCormick.

Misses Lela Ruth George, Maurine Kelsey and Anna Hall, students at Baylor university, spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

J. J. Gillen left Friday for a visit to Albany, Miss.

W. A. Ford is here from West Texas, spending his vacation with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert High and son Bobbie, returned to their home in Abilene Tuesday, after a visit to his mother, Mrs. W. A. High.

Mrs. J. D. Stokes of Dallas is spending this week here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker and Mrs. J. A. Smith left Tuesday for a week's visit in Wichita Falls.

Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Storey and

## PURDON

PURDON, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Mrs. Dona Phillips, and mother, Mrs. A. A. McGeehee, spent Wednesday in Whitten.

T. M. Key of Lamesa came in Tuesday for a few days' visit with old friends.

The Purdon Pewees and Pinkston Kids played ball at Pinkston Tuesday afternoon. The score was 15-4 in favor of Pinkston.

Mrs. R. E. Spence and children spent Sunday in Corsicana.

The Epworth League entertained at the Dawson park Tuesday evening with a watermelon feast.

G. J. Gregory and wife spent Tuesday in Corsicana.

Dr. E. B. Ellis of Streetman and son, Oscar, of Mart were here Tuesday.

Tom Davis of Tolar, and his son and wife of Coleman, spent last week here with his mother, Jack Davis.

Otis Ivie of Ponsey was here Tuesday.

W. E. Butler of Reisel was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Carris Compton, an old resident of Purdon passed away here Friday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. T. Smith of Hillsboro, Saturday, with burial in Dresden cemetery. She leaves six children, L. G. Compton of Corsicana, Dee of Richland, C. T. of Seminole, Okla., Mrs. W. A. Bates of Purdon, and Mrs. W. S. Herod of Richland. Miss Nora of Purdon, and several grandchildren.

Misses Roma Lee McGeehee, Frankie Johnston, Letha Farmer, spent Wednesday in Dawson.

Richard Ellis and wife, Guy Farmer and wife spent Thursday in Reisel.

Mrs. J. C. Henderson, Mrs. C. Baldwin, and Miss Lucy Baldwin were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Gilbert Cline and Mrs. T. J. Owens were shopping in Corsicana Saturday.

C. T. Compton returned to his home in Seminole Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Larimore and mother, Mrs. M. E. Larimore of Dawson spent Sunday here with Mrs. C. Baldwin and Mrs. Earl Darden.

daughters left Tuesday on a vacation trip to Abilene and other West Texas points.

Mrs. Alma Thurman and son, Clarence, of Dallas are spending this week with Mrs. G. W. Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Hartley and children were here from Denton for the week-end.

Miss Daisy Masten of Denton spent the week-end with Mrs. J. D. McClanahan.

## BARRY

BARRY, Aug. 8.—(SP)—There is a revival going on at the Church of Christ. The Rev. Rico of Abilene, is doing the preaching and Mr. Scott is conducting the song services. The evening services are being held in the open with a large attendance. On next Sunday there will be an all day service, preaching at 11 o'clock, lunch spread at the noon hour. Preaching will be at 3 o'clock and 8:30 o'clock. The entire community is invited and a large crowd expected. Several visitors from the church at Reagor Springs are expected to attend.

The senior Sunday school class of the Baptist church, visited the Forrester Sunday school Sunday and went from there to Bell Branch for a picnic spread at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in boat riding and other pleasant amusements.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell and wife, spent Sunday with relatives at Kerens.

L. C. Heaton, W. D. McCarty, W. T. Varnell and O. L. Watkins visited in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps moved to Barry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge of Rankin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Head, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and family of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Newburn Monday.

Miss Fay Fields of Forrester visited friends in Barry Monday.

Miss Willie Mae Ragsdale is visiting Misses Lois and Ballard Thomas at Temple.

Mrs. L. C. Heaton entertained Tuesday with a six o'clock dinner in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mrs. J. P. Quinn, Mrs. G. W. Watson, Mrs. E. W. Varnell and Mrs. G. A. Bell made a business trip to Corsicana Tuesday afternoon.

Alton Castellaw has been at home since Saturday recuperating after an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Ollie Watkins has as her guest for this week her mother, Mrs. Mills of Mart.

Mrs. Cumby and children of Corsicana are visiting her sister, Mrs. Burnham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hopkins moved to Barry Monday.

Mrs. Westmoreland of Corsicana made a short visit with friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Howard of Dawson visited Mrs. Howard's parents Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Boswell, who are visiting here from Merkel, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Blooming Grove.

## RICE

RICE, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Bell have returned to their home in Dallas after spending several days here visiting relatives.

Miss Doris Dobbs has returned to her home in Dallas after spending a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Swofford and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wofford and children visited in Corsicana Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Fitzgerald and children, J. S. Hall and Miss Ruby Hall visited in Malakoff Sunday.

Miss Jewel Dobbs of Corsicana spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hall and children, and Mrs. J. P. South and Mrs. J. S. Hall returned Monday night from Hot Springs, where they spent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson of Chaffield spent Saturday here with their daughter, Mrs. L. M. Pollan.

Miss Mary Louise South has returned to her home in Dallas after spending several weeks here with Miss Bess Bartlett.

Mrs. R. C. Norwood and little son of Ennis spent Wednesday here with relatives.

Lynn South has gone to Houston where he has a position working with his brothers, Hugh and Ethelridge.

William Fitzgerald of Dallas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cardwell spent the week-end in Fort Worth with Mr. Cardwell's brother.

## Boy Scouts Will Hike to City Lake

Members of the American Legion Boy Scout troop will hike to the American Legion club house at the city lake Friday afternoon at 6 o'clock. It was announced Thursday by Vivian Mowman, scoutmaster. The boys will be accompanied on the hike by the scoutmaster, Vivian Mowman; assistant scoutmaster, J. R. O'Neal; Lendon Lewis and George W. Reed.

All boys expecting to make the trip are requested to meet at the Legion Hall at 6 o'clock.

## Thurman Evans Is Home From Trip to Home of Edison

Thurman Evans, Texas' representative in the recent national Edison scholarship contest held in West Orange, New Jersey, arrived home Thursday morning. After the tests, the Texas representative spent two days in Philadelphia enjoying a sightseeing tour of his native place.

## ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

GOREE, Aug. 8.—(P)—E. L. Covey, newspaper publisher, announced his candidacy for commissioner of agriculture today. He was a member of the 37th and 38th legislatures.

## ANOTHER FOR THE RADIO

BOSTON, Aug. 8.—(P)—Radio fast is becoming a household necessity. Ben Hampton, trapped by fire, slid safely down his aerial wire.

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## LOSSES IN MANY TIMBER FIRES TO REACH MILLIONS

MORE THAN THIRTY - FIVE  
THOUSAND ACRES HAVE  
BEEN BURNED-OVER

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 7. (AP)—The fire demon which for two weeks had resisted an army of fighters in the Northwest seemed to be facing defeat today on fronts that extended through parts of three states.

After having ravaged thousands of acres in Montana, Idaho and Washington, several hundred fires in the national forests of those states were being subdued by a combination of weather and efforts of forest department crews, timber protective association men and volunteers.

While the total area of these fires was unknown, reports indicated that it would be considerably more than 25,000 acres, with losses running into millions of dollars. Many ranches and much valuable timber has been destroyed.

One Blaze Uncontrolled

The stubborn Pack river fire which for a time menaced the water supply of Sandpoint, Idaho, while it was burning over more than 8,000 acres, was reported still defiant but less dangerous. The central Idaho region, embracing the Selway, Clearwater and Nez Perce national forests, still had one major blaze out of control. That was the Gal mountain fire, which was roaring through valuable timber with 170 fighters powerless to stop it. A large number of smaller fires, some started by lightning and others by campers, were quiet with small forces fighting them.

A fresh contingent of recruits moved today from Montana to the Salmon river fire in Idaho, which was reported to have broken out anew. Most blazes in Montana were not considered dangerous, although some were still out of control. An order was issued yesterday barring travelers from national forests because of the great number of "man-made" fires.

The disastrous Cheelan forest conflagration in Washington, which swept farms, forests and a \$100,000 irrigation flume, was reported under control last night, but the force battling another blaze near Lake Cheelan was increased to 400 men yesterday when it reached the twenty-five-mile creek divide, and threatened to cross over into new territory.

Manitoba Fires Controlled.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 8.—All available planes and men were engaged today in fighting new forest fires which have broken out in northern Manitoba.

Col. H. I. Stevenson, head of the Dominion Forestry department, announced that for a time the fires, which raged northeast of Lake Winnipeg, menaced valuable pulpwood areas, but the fighters had managed to prevent the flames from spreading to those areas.

"We are having a trying time of it, but are holding our own with the fire fiend," said Col. Stevenson.

Pyromaniac Blamed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—(AP)—A pyromaniac, said to have used improvised firepots made of candles, oil soaked rags and tin cans, was blamed by forest service officials here today for nine fires in the Sierra National Forests in Mariposa county, California.

Rangers declared the candles had been of varying lengths so the fires would break out simultaneously after the firepots had been planted miles apart. A hunt for suspicious characters was started.

Oklahoma Fire Spreads.

IDABEL, Okla., (AP)—Sweeping through dried forests in a fresh outbreak, flames today increased their menace to timber lands in southeastern Oklahoma. Efforts of 200 men to bring the fire under control were meeting with little success.

C. O. Dossater, district forester, said that destruction of more than a million dollars worth of cutover timber was threatened by the fires, which are raging in an area covering sections of McCurtain, Pushmataha and LeFlore counties.

Three small fires had burned into one to form the major conflagration, burning over 8,000 acres near Ringgold.

Opinion was expressed by Dossater that the fires were of incendiary origin.

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## Little Girl Is Killed Trying To Aid Brother

HUTCHINSON, Kas., Aug. 7.—(AP)—Louise Wiley, six-year-old daughter of Cliff Wiley, was killed here last night by a high voltage electric wire. She and her brother, Ray, 9, were playing about the roof of a garage behind their home. Ray touched some sagging light wires. He could not let go. Screams brought neighbors, one of whom ran in search of a rope. Little Louise didn't want to wait. She seized her brother and shook him loose from the searing line. The shock hurled her against another wire of higher voltage and she was killed.

## KERENS STOCKAN HAS BOUGHT FINE YOUNG MALE HOG

KERENS, Aug. 8.—(SP)—Travis Peters has returned from Arlington, where he purchased a nine month old boar, from the Lillard Stock Farm. The hog weighs 850 pounds and is classed an A-1 animal by all that saw him. Mr. Peters did not state the price he paid. He now has four stock boars in his herd. He has made reservations to enter the Ellis county fair with sixteen choice hogs and expects to carry off premiums as he did at the Waco Cotton Palace, and fair at Athens, where he swept all competition. He says he is undecided whether to enter the state fair yet. He has had several visitors at his home, 3 miles north of Kerens, looking at his registered hogs and cubs. He believes in the best or none at all.

## TEXAS IS SEEKING FUNDS TO KEEP OUT CITRUS FRUIT PEST

LAREDO, Texas, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Increased appropriations to insure Texas freedom from the Mediterranean fruit fly, now prevalent in the Florida citrus areas, and the Mexican fly which infests territory across the line will be asked of the United States department of agriculture as a result of a meeting held here last night.

Representatives of the winter garden district, the lower valley and the Laredo district conferred with Congressman John N. Garner and decided to seek funds for a more rigid inspection of imported citrus fruits.

Neither of the pests has gained a foothold in Texas.

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## OIL PRODUCTION IN UNITED STATES SHOWS BIG GAIN

TEXAS FIELDS ACCOUNT FOR  
ALL INCREASE; CALIFORNIA DOWN

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—(AP)—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States increased 11,950 barrels for the week ended August 3, totaling 2,908,600 barrels, says the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute.

The daily average production east of California was 2,046,300 barrels, an increase of 15,250 barrels. Refineries representing 92.6 per cent of the estimated daily potential refining capacity, operating at 83.3 per cent of their capacity, reported daily average run of crude oil to stills as 2,842,400 barrels. Daily average the previous week was 2,612,200 barrels for refineries representing 91.4 per cent of potential capacity, operating at 85.6 per cent of their capacity.

Daily average production:

Barrels	Inc.
Oklahoma	780,050
Kansas	122,650
North Texas	87,300
Panhandle Tex.	97,900
West Cen. Tex.	59,050
West Texas	393,000
East Cen. Tex.	17,400
Southwest Tex.	78,900
Arkansas	67,800
Coastal Texas	181,750
N. Louisiana	35,700
Coastal La.	20,150
Eastern	125,100
Wyoming	12,400
Montana	11,400
Colorado	6,800
New Mexico	2,900
California	862,300

Totals ... 2,908,600 Inc. 11,950  
Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week ended Aug. 3 were 249,286 barrels compared with 307,000 barrels for the previous week, and 275,750 for the four weeks ended August 3.  
Daily average receipts of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf Coast ports for the week ended Aug. 3 were 128,571 barrels compared with 128,571 barrels for the previous week, and 275,750 for the four weeks ended August 3.

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## ONE DEAD, FOUR INJURED WHEN WAREHOUSE WALL, HIT BY LIGHTNING, COLLAPSES

HOUSTON, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Investigation to determine the cause of the collapse of a large warehouse here today in which one man was known to have been killed and several hurt began within an hour after the tragedy.

The dead man was Charlie Perry, about 45, a tinner. Two negroes were in a serious condition at a hospital. R. Powell suffered several broken ribs and other persons were treated by physicians and discharged.

The dead and injured were employees of a paving company engaged in construction work in front of the building. About 45 employees had entered the building to seek shelter from rain.

Lightning struck the building, ripped it for more than 200 feet and caused the walls to fall, some of the workmen declared. Justice C. R. Overstreet, called to hold an inquest, said there were no signs of lightning on the walls.

The structure was being erected at Walnut and North San Jacinto streets.

HOUSTON, Aug. 8.—An unidentified white man was killed and a white man and three negroes were injured when a large warehouse collapsed here today.

Workers ran from the building in all directions as the large structure collapsed.

One of the first arrivals at the scene was R. H. Spencer, county commissioner. He immediately telephoned the police department, requesting that 15 policemen be sent to the warehouse to keep back the crowds while workers searched the debris.

One of the workers said he saw a bolt of lightning strike the building at the West end, travel east half the length of the building and rip apart the north wall. He said the walls swayed back and forth two or three times, then crumbled to the ground.

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## HAPPY REUNION OF WEST TEXAS FAMILY MARRED BY TRAGEDY

SPUR, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Three participants in the happy reunion of an old West Texas family were stricken from its midst yesterday by death in the waters of a cattle company's earthen tank near here.

Herman McBroom, 12, wading in the tank, stepped into a hole and cried for help. His father, Essell McBroom, 36, of Brownfield, dived in, not waiting to remove his clothing. The son went down for the last time before the father could reach him and the elder McBroom and Henry Smith, 32, of Lamesa, brother-in-law, died together grasping each other. Smith, too, had dashed into the tank when he saw his brother-in-law sinking.

Meanwhile Smith's 55-year-old father, C. J. Smith, at whose home here 22 members of the family had come together for the first time

since their childhood, sat on the bank, powerless.

The efforts of Will and John Smith, brothers of Henry, and R. T. George, a brother-in-law, to part the drowning men and rescue them were futile.

The bodies were brought to the Smith home where only a few hours before the reunited family had gathered for what proved to be the last time.

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## Drouth Broken In Panhandle by Excellent Rain

AMARILLO, Aug. 7.—(AP)—A two months drouth was broken in the Texas Panhandle last night. In Amarillo 1.70 inches of rain fell, one and one-half inches within a 30-minute period for a new August record, according to the weather bureau here.

Reports indicated the precipitation was general throughout this territory. Farmers said it would be of tremendous value to row since their childhood, sat on the bank, powerless.

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crops and cotton and also to wheat land that had been plowed preparatory to fall planting.

Good rains were reported west from Amarillo to Tucuman, N. M. Wheeler, Dalhart, Texhoma, and Channing reported rains varying from one-half inch to an inch. No rain was reported from the South Plains area.

**Pampa Gets Rain**

PAMPA, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Eight-tenths inch of rain fell in this section last night. Grazing lands were expected to be improved greatly.

**Mauretania Fails**

**Equal Brmen Time**

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—(AP)—The Cunard liner Mauretania, passed Ambrose Lightship at 10:36 a. m. (Eastern Daylight Time) today, completing the crossing from Cherbourg in 4 days, 22 hours and 44 minutes. The time was 8 hours and 50 minutes better than her own record, but 5 hours and 2 minutes behind the time of the champion North German Lloyd liner Bremen.

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## DEADLOCK APPEARS BETWEEN CHINA AND SOVIET GOVERNMENT

### CHINESE AUTHORITIES UN- ABLE ACCEPT RUSSIAN RE- INSTATEMENT DEMAND

NANKING, China, Aug. 6.—(P)—The foreign office of the national government announced today there was a deadlock at the conference between Russia and China, over seizure of the Chinese Eastern railway, which has been in progress at Manchuria, Manchuria.

The national authorities were unable to accept the Russian demand for reinstatement of the Russian associate managers on the railway before the opening of formal negotiations.

The foreign office instructed Chinese Minister Wu at Washington to notify signatories of Kellogg pact as to the discussion in full detail.

## FIFTY-EIGHT ARE KILLED IN STRIKE RIOTS IN RUMANIA

### MINERS AND MILITARY CLASH IN LUPERY COAL DISTRICT TUESDAY

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Aug. 6.—Fifty-eight persons were reported dead and hundreds wounded in a clash today in the Lupery coal district during a clash between striking miners and military forces.

The strike, involving nearly 4,000 miners, began yesterday in three mines. It resulted from a wage dispute.

During the night strikers were reported to have seized the power station and to have put the district in darkness as well as stopping current to the mine.

The public prosecutor today tried unsuccessfully to mediate. He then read the riot act whereupon it was said the strikers fired on the soldiers accompanying the prosecutor. This started a riot and the troops began firing.

The reports from the region said that the strike was of local origin and was not influenced by communists.

H. H. Mims of the Oak Valley community was a Corsicana visitor Tuesday.

W. W. Crane went to Dallas Tuesday on business.

## School Statistics Of Van Zandt County Show 81 Districts

WILLS POINT, Aug. 6.—(SP)—Data compiled by J. W. Terry, acting superintendent of Van Zandt county schools, shows there are 71 common school districts in the county, three of them being colored schools. There are ten independent school districts all white.

There are 218 trustees in the common school districts and 70 in the independent districts making a total of 288 school trustees in the county. The common school districts employ 185 teachers there being only four one-teacher schools in the county. The independent districts employ approximately one hundred teachers making a total of 288 teachers employed in the county.

## PURDON MAN DIED IN LOCAL HOSPITAL MONDAY AFTERNOON

Joe York, 57, of near Purdon, died at the Navarro County Hospital Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock, following a lingering illness and the funeral was held at Dawson Tuesday afternoon where interment was made. He had resided in the Purdon community for many years.

Surviving are his wife, thirteen children, Mrs. Jeter Widener, Purdon; Mrs. Virgie Allen, Purdon; George York, Purdon; Mrs. Cordia Cottongame, Dawson; Joe Dean, Lou, Florence, Frankie, Berry, Archie, L. J. and a 5-months old infant, all of Purdon; two brothers, Tom York, Purdon, and Andy York, West, Texas; one half-brother, Will York, Irene; four sisters, Mrs. Ida Cornett, Melrose, Arkansas; Mrs. Sarah Kelly, O'Neil, Arkansas; Mrs. Berdie Mitchell, Woodberry, Mrs. Della Kendall, Dawson; two half-sisters, Mrs. Martha Driskell, Paul's Valley, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Elkins, Emmett; and numerous other relatives.

The body was taken overland to Dawson. Sutherland's Funeral Home had charge of the funeral.

## FLAMES DAMAGED HOUSE AND BURNED CONTENTS TUESDAY

Fire of undetermined origin gutted the interior of a house at the intersection of West Third Avenue and North Fifteenth Street at 3 a. m. Tuesday. Damage was estimated at \$2,000 by Fire Chief Elmer Keith. Insurance on the house amounted to \$1,500 with \$2,000 insurance on the contents.

The house was occupied by R. L. Walling, rig builder for the Humble Oil and Refining Company. The Wallings were out of town but were reached at Marlin by Phone Tuesday morning.

The dwelling was owned by the Sutherland estate.

A. D. McKinney spent Tuesday in Dallas, attending to business.

W. T. Allmon of Purdon and J. M. Moran of Coolidge were visitors in Corsicana Tuesday morning.

## HATCHER AND SHAW STILL IN SQUABBLE OVER PAYING FUND

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refunds for over-assessments, Shaw having about \$600,000 in his possession.

After referring to Hatcher's letter as "contemptuous," Pollard said he had "too much respect for his dignity and responsibility of the office I hold, and my obligations to the public interest to respond in kind."

Hatcher sent a reply to Pollard shortly after the attorney general's letter had been delivered to him.

Hatcher, Hite Pollard.

In giving his reasons for not attending a meeting of the banking board on Aug. 2, Hatcher referred to a personal difficulty he had had with Shaw a few days previously. Pollard had criticized Hatcher for not being at that meeting.

"You will recall that I came out of that office then in a hurry—just like a cat out of a corner"—after James Shaw started his rough stuff, with you as the sole witness behind closed doors and I invited him to come on the outside to carry out his threat, and that ought to be sufficient reason why I did not attend the meeting you referred to," wrote.

"As to your opinion about my paying out money, you must know that I regard it as worthless since you authorized the passage of a resolution on September 20, 1927, to pay to certain banks out of the guaranty fund, the sum of \$750,000, and the supreme court afterwards held the reserve of your opinion."

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—(P)—State Treasurer W. G. Hatcher and Banking Commissioner James Shaw were squabbling today over how to remit to the state banks their pro rata of the over-assessment guaranty fund.

Hatcher refused to honor drafts drawn by Shaw on him for \$304,439, representing the amount of the approximately \$900,000 due that was in Hatcher's possession as bailee of the banking board. The balance had been retained by Shaw.

Hatcher submitted to Shaw and Attorney General Claude Pollard, chairman of the banking board, for their approval a form of draft he proposed to use in remitting to the banks. It would require each member of the banking board to attach his signature and the bank to sign it.

"I certainly would not pay out this enormous sum of money without the authority of all members of the banking board for so doing and taking a receipt from the bank," Hatcher said in a joint letter to Shaw and Pollard.

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## "TEARS OF ST. LAWRENCE" DUE TO APPEAR TO WATCHERS LATE NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE.  
(Associated Press Science Editor.)  
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—(P)—The beautiful "Tears of St. Lawrence," as the perseid meteor showers sometimes are called, are due for their annual visitation to earth Sunday night, Aug. 11.

The best time to watch them is between midnight and dawn, in direction of the constellation Perseus. Their "radiant," the position from which they come, rises in the northeast shortly after dark, and is not far from directly overhead at dawn.

The name "Tears of St. Lawrence" was given them by Irish peasantry more than a century ago. Astronomical records identify them first about 1100 years ago.

"Of all the annual showers they are the most certain to return with average richness," said Dr. Charles P. Olivier, professor of astronomy at the University of Pennsylvania and president of the American Meteor Society. "Also, as they come in August, when nights are still comfortably warm, they furnish the most excellent opportunity for a person casually interested in meteors to see a good shower. While quite numerous from Aug. 5 to 15, yet from Aug. 10 to 13 one is certain to see large numbers, particularly after midnight. Many of the Perseids leave very bright and enduring trains, which being beautiful phenomena, add to the interest."

## WAS COMPELLED TO STAY HOME MONTHS

"Stomach trouble and indigestion had me in a terribly nervous, run-down condition. I was so weak and worn out I would have to stay in the house for months at a time. Constipation was helping to make my life miserable and there were times when I didn't care whether I lived or died. A good friend of mine told me about Sargon and how much it helped her so I decided to try it."



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Sid Foster of Barry was in Corsicana on business Tuesday.

## COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY MET IN REGULAR SESSION

### LOCAL PHYSICIANS PLEDGE ASSISTANCE FOR MORE COM- PLETE VITAL STATISTICS

"X-Ray Examination of the Chest" was the subject of a thesis presented by Dr. R. C. Curtis at the regular monthly meeting of the Navarro County Medical Society, at the chamber of commerce, Monday night at 8 o'clock. Dr. G. H. Sanders, president, presided at the meeting, and Dr. Dickson of Dawson, vice president, acted secretary.

In the absence of Dr. C. L. Tubbs, a round-table discussion of throat diseases was the concluding feature of the program.

Uniformity of certificates of medical examination, prior to issuing marriage licenses was discussed by several members of the society. Co-operation of the doctors in aiding the chamber of commerce in securing better and more complete registration of vital statistics in the county and city was enlisted, and the society pledged its aid in this movement.

S. Schultz of Rickland was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. H. B. Davis and her daughter, Mrs. J. E. King, went to Stamps, Arkansas, Tuesday to visit Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. F. E. Baker. They will return early next week.

Red Bowden of Tupelo was in the city Tuesday on business.

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## Drunken Cows Cause Owner to Lose Life

OAKLAND, Tenn., Aug. 8.—(P)—The drunkenness of Dee Alley's cows cost him his life.

The cows got drunk on mash they found in the woods and stayed out all night. Dee Alley and his cousin, John Alley, took their guns and went to look for them. While crawling through underbrush, John Alley's gun was discharged accidentally and his cousin was killed.

## Teague Woman Is Canning Vegetables

TEAGUE, Aug. 6.—(Sp)—Mrs. Kathleen Short is fast establishing a growing business in this district. This is a canning factory, established by her late husband, A. Short. Articles included in the list canned are green beans, field peas, spinach, chile, mustard, turnip greens, chicken tamales and chicken broth. All vegetables are secured from this immediate territory.

The Teague chamber of commerce, through a committee, is seeking the organization of a small stock company to own and operate a cannery to be managed by Mrs. Short for the purpose of bringing a friendly and profitable new industry to Teague, and at the same time creating a market for the products of the farmers of the Teague country and Freestone county.

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## FORMER CORSICANA GIRL AUTHOR MUSIC TEXTBOOK ADOPTED FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Another name has been added to the list of Corsicans who have made outstanding contributions to the musical world with the publication of "People and Music," a new volume of musical appreciation, written by Mrs. Edward G. McGee, nee Miss Thomasine Cobb, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cobb.

The book has been adopted by the Alabama state textbook commission as a standard text and will be used in the Montgomery, Alabama, schools during the coming year.

Many friends of Mrs. McGee will rejoice with her in her latest triumph and will add their congratulations to those that are being showered on her by musical leaders in many parts of the nation.

The following was taken from a special article written by Marie Bankhead Owen, appearing under a double column heading:

It was in Montgomery in 1860 through the efforts of the late Herman Arnold that Dan Emmett's "Dixie" was committed to a musical score and preserved to the world. It was here that the late Robert B. Ellenberg lived and composed some of his most beautiful ballads, songs, nocturnes and minuets and where in 1907 he conducted a three-day music festival in which participated many notable artists from home and abroad. It was in Montgomery that Miss Victor Hanson lived and inspired the formation of the Alabama Federation of Music Clubs and brought

to pass that interesting compilation on musical composers entitled "Musical Alabama."

And now it is another Montgomery, Mrs. Edward G. McGee (Mrs. Thomasine McGee) who has written a book entitled "People and Music" which has just been adopted by the Alabama textbook commission as a text for musical appreciation in high schools.

Through the persistent efforts of Mrs. Kate Hagan, of Mobile, president of the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs, the department of education many years ago took a forward step in giving the study of music a definite place in the educational program. It is a natural sequence of this interest that the new textbook has been adopted.

**Highly Praise By Critics**

The title is significant in that it suggests the social viewpoint from which the book undertakes a fresh outlook on the relationship of art and life. When the manuscript was presented to Allyn & Bacon, the well known textbook publishers, the general editor of the series, Dr.

James M. Glass, a man of national fame as a consultant in the junior high school field wrote to Mrs. McGee as follows:

"The first reading of your fine manuscript is completed. I have given myself the pleasure of reading it for pure enjoyment and not for criticism. As a mere reader of your book and as one who has thoroughly enjoyed and profited by the reading let me congratulate you upon your achievement. There is a unity in the development of the text and a coherence in its treatment which are particularly delightful. For the first time I have a conviction, for which you are responsible, that music does grow out of life."

The book grew out of Mrs. McGee's professional training and teaching experience. While a student at the Institute of Musical Art in New York she did her first professional writing in developing a series of programs for music study clubs. These programs had the

personal approval of Dr. Frank Damrosch, director of the institute. Has Historical Value

One of the points that made an appeal to the educational experts in adopting it was the fact that the language of the book is simple, its words being chosen within limitations of the child's vocabulary. Its historical value lies in the fact that it shows how music has been developed by people and how also people are developed by music.

It is a source of pride to the people of Alabama that Mrs. McGee is herself an Alabamian by ancestry and residence. Before her marriage she was Miss T. M. Cobb and taught musical appreciation and supervised public school music in several places in Alabama. It was while supervisor of public school music in Selma that she met her husband, Mr. Edward G. McGee, who was superintendent of public schools in that city. Afterwards Mr. and Mrs. McGee lived in Lafayette and in Troy, where Mrs. McGee was a mem-

ber of the Nineteenth Century Club. It was while there that she began work upon "People and Music," which she completed in Montgomery last year.

She is a member of the No Name Club of Montgomery. Mr. Edward McGee was at one time connected with Edgar's School for Boys in Montgomery and has been superintendent of public schools in several Alabama cities. He now holds a supervisory position in the state department of education.

## Gulf's Pipeline Camp Moves Fairfield

WORTHAM, Aug. 7.—(Spl.)—The Gulf Pipe Line company which has a small army of people in Wortham for about four weeks, moved their camp to Fairfield Tuesday. Several hundred men, and families have been here camping on the High School campus, while others had apartments, or lighthousekeeping rooms.

## BURNING LIBERTY OIL GUSHER STILL OUT OF CONTROL

LIBERTY, Aug. 7.—(P)—The burning Dolbear No. 68 oil well near here shot a fiery spire into the sky as 500 men labored during the night to bring it under control. The well, which flowed in Monday night with an estimated production of 1,500 barrels a day, was set fire early yesterday when the lights on the rig were turned off. Thatcher Barrett, a derrick man, was burned, but not seriously in the explosion.

**Dawson Resident Is  
Back From Beaumont**

J. H. Farmer of Dawson was a visitor in Corsicana Tuesday. He has just returned from a two weeks' visit in Beaumont where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. Hastings Harrison and family, formerly of Corsicana. Mr. Harrison was general secretary of the Corsicana Y. M. C. A. for several years.

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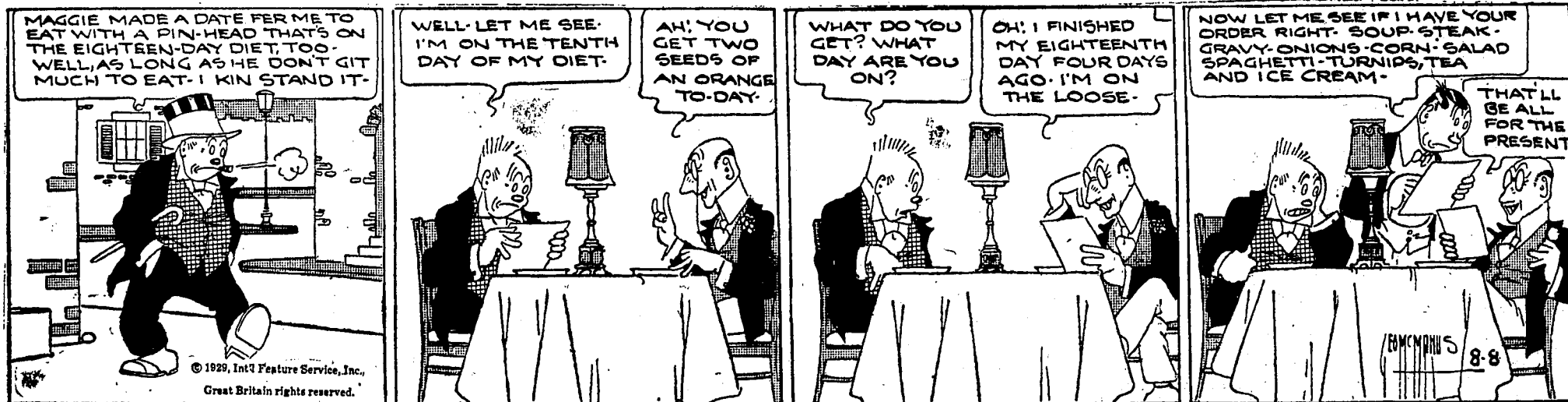
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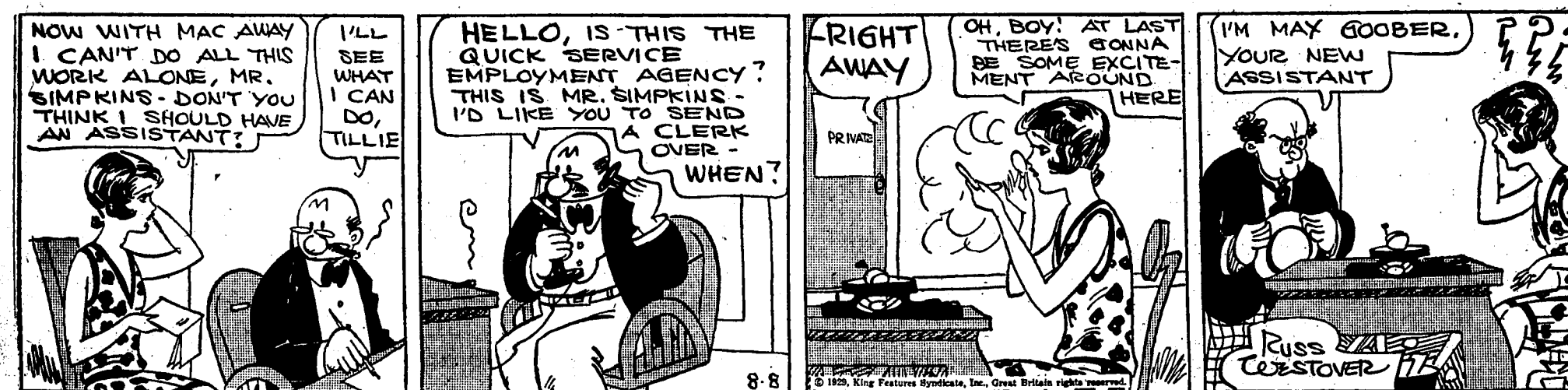
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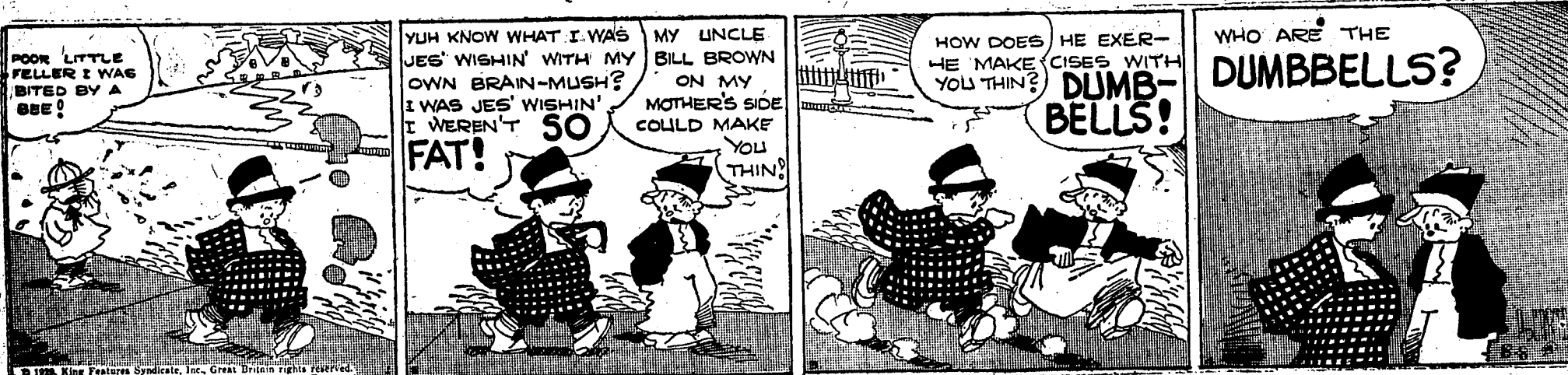
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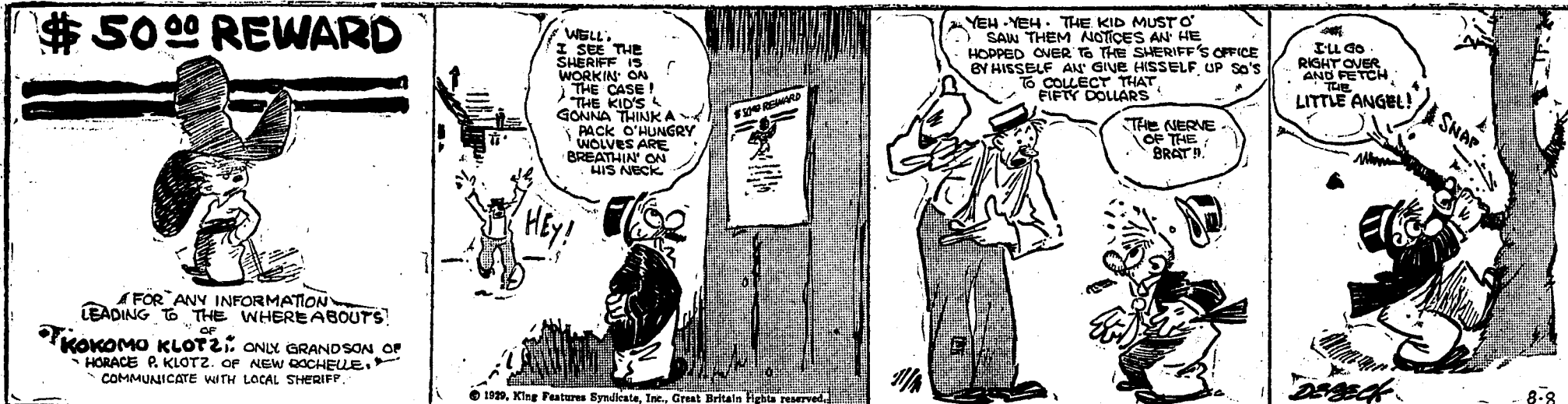
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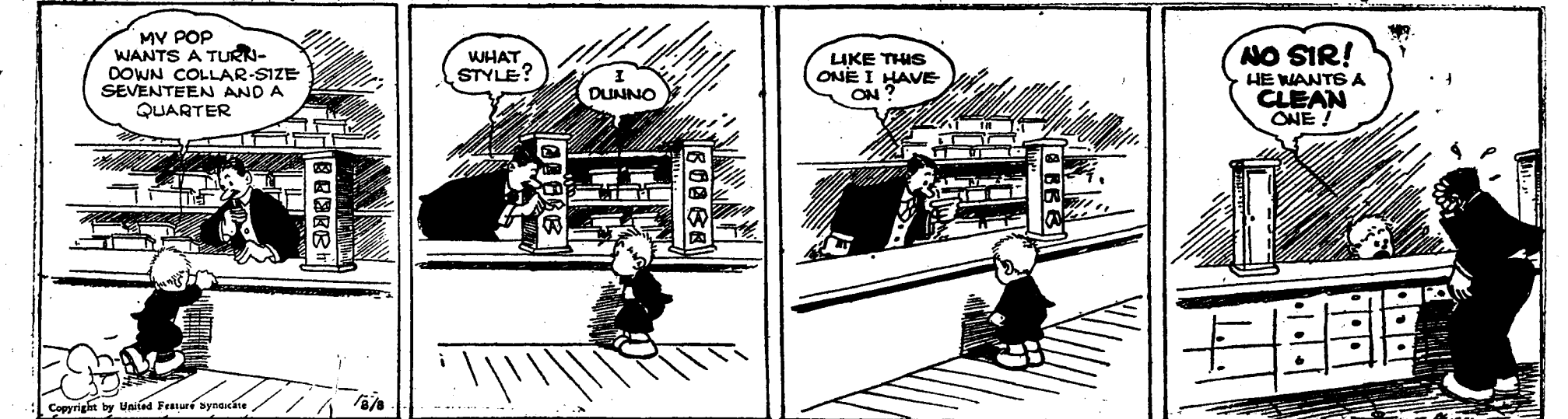
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## TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

**ACROSS**

1. All
2. Part of a
3. Red
4. Vase
5. Dash
6. Large
7. Leave
8. Part of the
9. Narrow
10. Punishes
11. Decorate
12. Inhabitant of
13. sum
14. Watercock
15. Don't finish
16. Comparative ending
17. Feminine name
18. Carr. across water
19. Palm leaf
20. Toward
21. Humorous drama
22. Beech
23. Aged
24. Valiant man
25. Carousels
26. Saddle
27. Ran violently
28. About
29. Shallow dish

**DOWN**

1. Bullfinches
2. Prescribed course of eating
3. Finished
4. Tell
5. French pronoun
6. Unit of work
7. Son of Seth
8. Argue
9. Singly
10. Filled with cold moisture
11. Not specified
12. Respectful title
13. Part of an automobile engine
14. Compassion
15. Month of the year
16. Sub
17. Commotion for sodium
18. Cornered
19. Guido's highest note
20. Beam
21. Become dim
22. Alternative pronunciation
23. Mocks
24. Kind of tree
25. Fragrant root
26. Tent
27. Stalk
28. Jew of the apple family
29. Tolerable
30. Failed
31. End of Jackson
32. Tail, coarse
33. Grass
34. Evergreen tree
35. Eastern states abbr.

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## Texas Star Tennis Player Eliminated Meadow Club Play

**SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 8.**—With a smashing straight-set victory over Berkeley Bell, national inter-collegiate champion, Norman G. Farquharson of the Cambridge University tennis team, crashed into the semi-final round of the Meadow Club invitation tournament today. The British collegian who hails from South Af-

Johnny Doeg won his quarter final match with Julius Seligson, the former intercollegiate champion from Lehigh. As Doeg is No. 8 in the national ranking and Seligson is No. 9, the victory was not unexpected. But it was more decisive than had been anticipated, the Cal-

Mrs. J. Walter Little is reported to be resting easily at the Navorro Clinic Thursday afternoon.

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## A. AND M. LIBRARY EXCAVATION WORK IS WELL UNDER WAY

**BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT  
WILL COST QUARTER OF  
MILLION DOLLARS**

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 8.—(Sp.)—Excavation is well under way for the new Cushing Library building at the A. & M. College of Texas with the expectation that the structure will be ready for occupancy within ten months. The building with equipment will cost \$250,000. Appropriation for this structure was made by the Fortieth Legislature.

The new building, which will give A. & M. its first individual library building, will be a fireproof structure, of brick with stone trim on concrete and steel skeleton. Of semi-classical architectural lines, it will have three stories with basement. The building will have frontage of 118 feet with depth of 194 feet.

Six reading rooms, one of which will be 40x116 feet, will afford study, research and reading quarters for students. Stack room space for books will have capacity for at least 500,000 volumes.

Basement of the building will be given over to storage and unpacking quarters. The first floor will have main entrance hall, reading and periodical rooms and women's rest room.

The main reading room will be on the second floor where the library's office, catalogue room and charging room will be located. Suspended ceiling with large ornamental beams will be a distinctive feature of the main reading room's architectural lines. Four reading rooms will be located on the third floor.

The stack room equipment on all floors will be of metal construction and strictly modern type.

Plans for the building were prepared by the office of the college architect, Dr. F. E. Giescke.

## FLOODS TAKE MANY LIVES; MANCHURIA SCENE DEVASTATION

TOKYO, Aug. 8.—(Sp.)—Rengo news dispatches from Mukden, Manchuria, today said that floods, following heavy rainfall, have caused many deaths and widespread destruction in Southern Manchuria.

Eighty dead and injured were reported from one village near Liaoyang. Broken bridges and washed-out tracks caused suspension of traffic along much of the South Manchurian railroad. Damage was greatest between Mukden and Antung.

It was feared days would elapse before service along the railroad would be restored.

## Preparing to Turn Steam On Oil Fire

LIBERTY, Aug. 8.—(Sp.)—A workman army's offensive against a fire which roared from the Dolbear No. 68 well near here, burning since Tuesday, was broadened today.

Preparations were made to turn the steam from 16 boilers on the great blaze, which rose more than 100 feet above the mouth of the well.

See Want Ads Bring Buyers.

## ACQUISITION FAMOUS DIENST LIBRARY GIVES UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HISTORY LIBRARY

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—(Sp.)—Acquisition of the famous Dienst library for the University of Texas was announced Wednesday at the offices of the University Ex-Students' Association. This collection will establish the supremacy of the University library in the field of Texas history for all time, the statement said.

The library was the property of Dr. Alex Dienst of Temple and was known as the best collection of Texas historical documents in private hands. Dr. Dienst has acquired this collection after a research covering a period of 40 years. When it became known that it was in private hands, Dr. Dienst disposed of a group of Austin citizens underwrote the purchase price of same to assure the acquisition of the collection for the University of Texas, as it was impossible to get a meeting of the University regents in time to consider the matter. These citizens who underwrote the purchase were Judge R. L. Botts, M. C. Parrish, Judge Charles Black, Dr. Goodall Wooten, Dudley Woodward, Dave Reed, E. L. Steck and E. P. Cravens.

Negotiations for this library have been conducted during the past week by Clyde Parrish, representing the Austin citizens and representatives of the Ex-Students' Association.

**Free From Rivalry**

That the University of Texas is now free from any rivalry in collections of Texas history is evidenced by an inventory of the thousands of manuscripts, pamphlets and books contained in this collection. Some of the rarest manuscripts in existence are included. They include letters and early documents pertaining to Texas from the early Spanish days to the present time. One document contains the last signature of Stephen F. Austin and the collection also contains the last three letters ever written by Stephen F. Austin. There are a number of letters also from Moses Austin and a quantity of early Spanish documents. Among the many interesting features of the collection is a letter from Governor Ireland written at the time of the controversy over the material to be used in the construction of the state capitol building. Governor Ireland was insisting that native stone be used in this structure, while others were advocating the importing of other material from another state. In this letter the governor stated that he would "take the government into a tent" before he would allow the capitol to be built out of imported material.

There is a mass of material of more or less political nature dealing with government and politics in Texas, which material will remain sealed until the present generation has passed away. The thousands of documents contained therein are of such a personal nature and affect so many individuals of the state that the collector of the library specified that this material was not to be opened for inspection by the present generation.

**Many Rare Pamphlets**

There are a number of extremely rare Texas pamphlets, books, maps and newspapers. There is quite a collection of newspapers from other states, including a two-year file of the Massachusetts Sentinel dated 1784-1785. This library contains the best collection in existence of Southern broadsides and proclamations pertaining to the Confederate army and also includes a large amount of Texas and Confederate money.

In addition to the thousands of books and other documents pertaining to Texas, the Dienst library contains many early printed books on American history and literature and English and general literature. There are a dozen early Bibles and

## SOCIALISTS MOURN VICTOR L. BERGER, FALLEN LEADER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 8.—(Sp.)—Mourning the death of their party's leader, prominent socialists from all over the United States were beginning to arrive in Milwaukee today for the funeral of Victor L. Berger, 68, late publisher of the Milwaukee Leader and former member of the national house of representatives.

The funeral services will be conducted either Friday or Saturday afternoon, with interment in Forest Home cemetery here. The former socialist leader's body will lie in state here Friday. Funeral services are to be simple at the request of his family.

Mr. Berger died yesterday at the Milwaukee hospital, succumbing to a basic fracture of the skull and other injuries suffered July 16 when he was struck down by a street car.

## Norwood Will Teach Bible Class Sunday

C. T. Banister, president of the Brotherhood Bible Class of the First Methodist Sunday School, announces that Professor W. H. Norwood, principal of the High School will teach the class Sunday.

Those who have had the privilege of hearing Mr. Norwood are aware of the fact that he is a master in the art of teaching both in the public schools and Sunday school.

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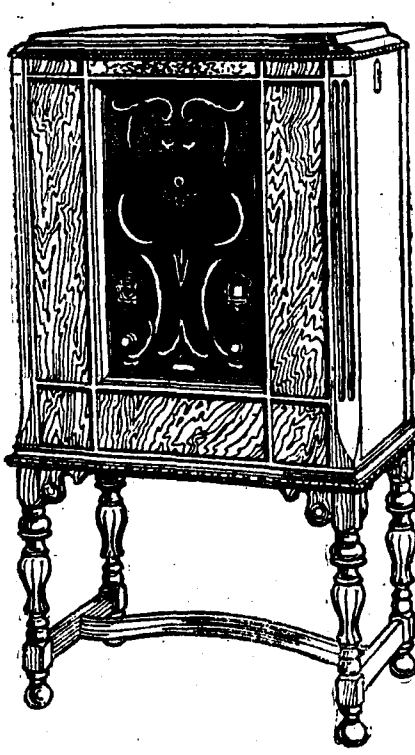


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## WAR AIDES' ADVICE HELPED PRESIDENT HOOVER FILL TWO IMPORTANT CABINET POSTS

EDITOR'S NOTE—President Hoover's appointment of his cabinet brought many surprises and much conjecture as the selections were made known. Many of the choices were regarded as politically unprecedented. The story of the men and events behind the scenes in these enmeshing moves now is told by James L. West, Associated Press staff writer, in a series of six articles of which the following is the second.

BY JAMES L. WEST  
Associated Press White House Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(Sp.)—War time associates, who with hundreds of their kind rallied around the Hoover political banners, now are receiving credit for bringing forward two present cabinet members who probably were even more surprised than the public by the tender of office.

The two are Charles Francis Adams of Massachusetts, secretary of the navy, and Robert Patterson of Illinois, secretary of commerce.

Mr. Adams was a real stranger to Mr. Hoover when he received an invitation to lunch with the president-elect and Mrs. Hoover at the pre-inaugural home on Belle Isle, Fla., last February.

During that luncheon Mr. Hoover sized up the internationally known amateur yachtsman and treasurer of Harvard university and shortly afterward tendered him the navy post, although Mr. Adams had been a democrat all his life until the end of the Wilson administration, when he supported Warren G. Harding.

None of the group of seasoned political writers who had gone to Florida with the president-elect

even suspected that the man who raced the Resolute to victory over the Shamrock back in 1920 was slated for the cabinet. It remained for a sports writer for a Boston newspaper, who was in Miami Beach for the Stribling-Sharkey heavyweight, to "scoop" the lot of them.

Over the sports world "grapevine" trickled word that Adams was to be secretary of the navy. The Boston reporter called his managing editor on the telephone to apprise him of the news. The telephone conversation has been reported about like this:

"Say, I hear that Charles Francis Adams is going to be the new secretary of the navy. No, no, not the ball player; not the Charles Francis Adams, some gink over at Cambridge who's treasurer of Harvard university or something like that."

The managing editor investigated and found that the "gink" at Harvard was the right man. His newspaper had the first word on the subject.

Secretary Adams was recommended by Christian C. Herter, a former secretary to Mr. Hoover and John Richardson, who was associated with Hoover in the food administration. They are both Harvard men, handled the Massachusetts campaign for Hoover and, of course, were well acquainted with the man who for years had handled Harvard's millions and who won fame as a yachtsman between times.

When it came to selecting a secretary of commerce, Mr. Hoover

wanted an engineer of outstanding ability to carry on the work that he as an engineer had pressed in the great business department of the government. A. W. Shaw, who had been associated with the president in war and after-war work, suggested Robert Patterson Lamont.

He himself admits that there probably was no more surprised man in the United States than he was when he was advised that the new president wanted him to carry on in the commerce department. He gave up his private work to take over the job.

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